



JUNIOR HIGH SENDS 130 TO HIGH SCHOOL

When the new term opens January 4, approximately 130 students of the Roosevelt Junior high school will enter the Richmond Union high school, Principal F. C. Shallenberger announced yesterday.

The following is the promotion list of the Junior high school:

Louis Beggio, Eda Bera, Olga Bianchi, Mary Basso, Mary Calleri, Esther Chassac, Mary Davis, Marguerite Erickson, Angelina Garcia, Christina Kuchan, Mildred Long, Mary Medo, Dorothy Peard, Georgia Perry, Mary Rekers, Louise Rice, Anna Stark, Eleanor Albert, Ed Asmussen, Maplet Baird, Floyd Baskett, Alfred Baxter, Wilbert Bliss, Ernest Blount, Ethel Borgstrom, Abbott Breuen, Genevieve, Russey, Clelia Ceridona, Pote Ciznich, Kathleen Denton, Barbara Emery, Lawrence Evans, Walter Freeman, Heloise Head, Arthur Howson, Edward Hurley, Jesse Judd, Wm. McAllister, Heien Maxwell, Lloyd Mayer, Emma Meyer, Henry Meyer, Mollie O'Brien, Jack Pryde, Pote Pucel, Leo Sassone, Anna Shaw, Marguerite Saonley, Leslie Urquhart, Walter Figueiredo.

Lena Armanini, Joseph Baker, Herbert Basford, Jonas Bongston, George Black, Clyde Bumgarner, Robert Carlson, Richard Craig, Harold Fitzpatrick, Ellen Hiekk, Mary Hyatt, Jane Martin, Wentz McCoy, William Mason, Raymond Moore, George Pace, Kilmer Pawlas, Henry Pederson, Richard Palne, Cale Raney, Lawrence Rhodes, Cornelia Royce, James Stanley, Byron Sullivan, Florence Walquist, Helene Whitman, Harry Williams, Jack Wilson, Ralph Zimmerman.

Leo Carey, Nat Damon, Milton Dimock, Frank Fenix, Earl Floyd, James Ford, Robert Gries, Harold Johnson, Russell Lucas, Steve Mitchevich, John Perelli, Richard Plate, John Sindrich, Willie Souza, Harvey Stender, Alice Hanney, Evelyn Hughes, Florence Johnson, Emma Martin, Octavia Miller, Lillian Morgan, Lola Russo.

Ruth Aspreen, Ruby Black, Remo Bonini, Anita Brown, Rose Ceridona, Jewel Chapin, Enid Church, Milton Ekenberg, Helen Frazier, Helen Freeman, Rose Giannotti, Lattie Guffanti, Lloyd Hall, Francis La Veque, Lillian Nelson, Dorothy Knight, Jane Olney, Vernon Pearson, Milke Palencher, P. Peterson, Carmen Rogers, Mary Schwarz, Mary Stevenson, Alfred Shawl, Florence Thompson, Rose Trautvetter, Robert Van Fleet, Lawrence Watson.

High School P. T. A. Is Ready For Card Party

The committee on arrangement for the Richmond High School P. T. A. White party at Woodmen Hall reported everything ready for a most pleasant afternoon.

Mrs. E. W. Wilson and Mrs. J. Schoute express the wish that the white party be held in the hall promptly at 1:30 p. m. Twenty hands will be played. Prizes have been donated and are on display in the Schrader Furniture store window. The public is invited.

Man Wanted Here For Auto Theft Is Apprehended

According to telegraphic information received by the Richmond police department, Jessie Austin Potts, who is wanted here on a charge of grand larceny in connection with the alleged theft of automobiles, was apprehended in Riverside, Calif. Captain B. V. Shirley left today to bring Potts to Richmond.

According to the police Potts is said to have stripped the license off of stolen cars and to have sold them.

E. J. Martin, who underwent an operation at the Fabiola hospital last Tuesday has returned to his home, 439 Ninth street.

Doctor Tells of Thrilling Trials On Gobi Desert

The motor car will be the "covered wagon" of the Gobi Desert in Mongolia, the most extensive undeveloped and unexplored region now left in the world. Motor Vehicles will be to this quarter of the globe what the ox-drawn and horse-drawn canvas topped wagons were to America's great west, and it is conceivable that some scenario writer of the future will give us a screen drama of central Asia comparable to the splendid picture based on Emerson Hough's book.

This practically unknown territory is half as large as the United States, Alaska excluded. If you put Mongolia down on the map of the United States, it would extend from Washington on the east to Nevada on the west, and from Austin, Texas, on the south to the Canadian border. It has never been open to the world because of the impossibly slow traffic of camel trains, the only means of communication. But now it is being criss-crossed in every direction by motor or more correctly by one motor car, the Dodge. Sixty or seventy Dodge Brothers cars are making regular trips far into the interior of this waste, bringing out loads of furs and other precious furs, wool and other products.

No car except the Dodge is found far in the interior. We have tried it out on each of our three expeditions, and have had it demonstrated to our satisfaction that the Dodge is the only car that will stand up under the strain of the roadless desert and do everything we ask of it.

The Dodge and I went through some thrilling and extraordinary adventures together. For one thing I believe I can say truthfully that I am the only man in the world who ever shot a mountain sheep from the seat of a motor car. I was able to it because apparently the sheep was so astonished to see such a strange creature as a motor car in its rocky domain that it forgot to run away.

It happened one day while I was driving my Dodge up and down a series of steep ridges in the Altai Mountains. Everybody knows that the mountain sheep is about the most timid creature in the world. Bagging one of them is a rare event, for the hunter must be, not only a mountain climber of rare ability, but an exceptional shot. When I first saw the one that I got it was standing on a point of rock high above me. Stopping the car, I grabbed my rifle, expecting to see the sheep go bounding away. Instead, the sheep, astounded and curious, took a few steps ahead to get a better view of this strange creature that had invaded its fastnesses. It stood motionless in full view, and I brought it down at the first shot.

Xmas Party Is Held at San Pablo School

Christmas exercises were held by the pupils of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades of the San Pablo school on Friday afternoon. The teachers of the school provided and decorated a Christmas tree, from which gifts were presented to the children by Miss Burness, Miss Dommes, Miss Hopkins and Santa Claus.

The following is the program: Dialogue, "Santa Buys a New Suit," Margaret, English, Charles McCausland.

Song, "Dick the Hall."

Recitation, "A Suggestion to Santa Claus," Irene Silveira.

"Trail of Christmas Shopping," Mary Thelma Cray, Florence Garcia, Josephine Grace, Marie Silveira.

Recitation, "The Christmas Surprise," Estelle Regello.

Song, "Silent Night."

Recitation, "Santa Claus," Fred D. Courten.

Recitation, "A letter to Santa Claus," Anthony Silveira.

The girls of the school contributed popcorn balls and puffed rice brittle which was made by the domestic science class.

MOSCOW "LADY" BANDIT STEALS MEN'S TROUSERS

MOSCOW, Dec. 14.—A "lady bandit" with queer notions of propriety is reported prowling around the cemeteries and outskirts of

The Vogue of Velvet Predominates This Season Even to the Accessories That Complete the Costume



Olivia Windsor, one of the best dressed women of the screen, in a chic new velvet coat trimmed with ermine, which she wears in "Dance Madness," her next Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production.

"TO be in velvet," as someone recently remarked, "is to be in vogue." Everything this season is fashioned of velvet or combined with velvet, from practical every day jumper frocks of sturdy velveteen to sumptuous evening gowns and wraps of lustrous chiffon velvet.

Striking effects are achieved through the combination of velvet and other fabrics. Lame, silver and gold brocades, metal cloths and other rich materials so much in vogue this season are effectively combined with velvet in the very smart jumper frock that is now all the rage as well as in ensemble combinations. Contrast effects are used too, such as

the wrap of white velvet worn with the dinner or evening gown of black.

For afternoon wear, one of the smartest costumes which effectively combines the chic of velvet with the striking effect of black and white, is the popular velvet coat trimmed with ermine. Claire Windsor, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer player, wears a very smart costume of this kind in "Dance Madness," her next production. The coat of black velvet, illustrated above, is smartly bordered with ermine, and a chic upturned hat of black velvet completes the costume.

In keeping with the vogue of velvet and to complement the ensemble effect which makes the well groomed woman today, ac-

cessories blending with the costume are being fashioned of velvet.

Illustrated above are a few of the new accessories in smart Fifth Avenue shops. The underarm bag of velvet adds to its beauty by being trimmed with gold leather and stitched in gold; a velvet cigarette case set in a silver frame has a brilliant rhinestone monogram, and the stunning looking velvet pumps have extremely attractive pearl buckles in which black velvet squares are inserted. Many of the new hand made flowers worn so smartly on the shoulders of evening gowns or on the lapsels of winter coats, are fashioned of velvet in brilliantly blending shades.

Auxiliary of 1st Baptist Church Reelects Officers

The ladies Auxiliary of the First Baptist church at their meeting Friday which was held at the home of Mrs. A. T. Baker 439 Fourth street, voted to retain the present officers. Those officers who were re-elected are as follows: Mrs. W. W. Fraser, president; Mrs. Elsie Christiansen, vice president; Mrs. O. E. Cooper, treasurer; Mrs. B. F. Kirkpatrick, superintendent of missionary work; and Mrs. A. E. Baker chairman of the program committee.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Frances Jackson, and she gave a short missionary talk on "Africa." Mrs. T. D. Woods gave a blackboard talk. Mrs. C. Long-acre recounted a missionary story. Mrs. C. V. Cook and her daughter Mrs. E. Bowman entertained with several vocal duets.

Moscow.

Head of a small gang of men she holds up and robs any passing pedestrian of his clothes as well as all money and valuables. Two distracted and shivering victims rushed to the police station on one night and reported a complete fleecing of clothes and coin.

The "lady bandit" who is described as about twenty-four years old with bobbed hair and a gold-tooth smile had no trouble in escaping after the robberies.

You can't blame all of the hot air on the weather man.

FERRIES CRASH IN HEAVY FOG

The Southern Pacific ferry Oakland and the Key System boat San Leandro collided yesterday in heavy fog when the Oakland ferry was backing out of Slip 6, its regular berth, after finding it occupied by another Southern Pacific boat, also delayed on account of the fog. The San Leandro, preparing to enter Slip 4, crashed into the backing Southern Pacific ferry.

Neither of the vessels were visible in the heavy fog. The situation was complicated by the presence of four ferries, all delayed by the fog, attempting to dock at the same time. Both vessels were damaged to some extent, but were able to proceed into their slips and continue their runs. Commuters and passengers were excited and delayed considerably; no one, however, being injured.

Fined For Carrying A Concealed Weapon

Arrested on the complaint of his divorced wife, Peter Flo was fined \$15 by the city recorder of El Cerrito on the charge of carrying a concealed weapon. Mrs. Carrie Flo charged her former husband had threatened to shoot her.

A revolver was found in the man's possession by Marshal Forrest Wright, who made the arrest.

Plane Victim's Mother Visitor

After spending several weeks visiting at the home of Mrs. W. E. Cunningham here, Mrs. Wright has again returned to her home in Paso Robles. Mrs. Wright has been in Richmond ever since her 16-year-old boy, Walter, was killed in an airplane crash on Armistice Day. The youth had promised his mother that the ride which ended in tragedy would be his last. Mrs. Patrick and Mrs. Cunningham are old time friends.

ONE PERSON IN EACH 78 OWNS AUTO IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Dec. 14.—One person in 78 now owns a private automobile in Great Britain, according to figures issued by the Ministry of Transport.

The number of such automobiles in use is 539,000 and is rapidly increasing owing to the mass production of cheap machines. (In the United States one man in eleven runs his own car according to figures given out here.)

The total number of motor vehicles using British roads is 1,537,340.

Horse drawn vehicles plying for hire now number 22,079.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meindersen left this afternoon for the Lagunitas Gun club in Marin county. They expect to bring back the limit of quail.

It takes a pretty big man to say just what he thinks.

Louis H. Brandt Of Pinole Dies

LOUIS H. Brandt of Pinole, died after a long illness at his family home this morning. Brandt was a carpenter and was 49 years old. He was the husband of Mrs. Annette Brandt, and the brother of Fred Brandt of Pinole; Mrs. Carrie Moore, Pinole; Craigt to Brandt, Berkeley; Brandt was a member of Pinole Aerie of Eagles.

Funeral services will be conducted from the family home in Pinole on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Bert Curry in charge of arrangements.

Claims Apartment House Was Not Worth Price Paid

Martinez, Dec. 12.—A suit seeking title of a San Francisco apartment house and a refund of \$26,840 cash, paid on a deal was filed by Frank A. Hawthorne, a mechanic living near Richmond.

H. J. Dempsey and Son, San Francisco realty men and Carl and Mary White of San Francisco are named as defendants.

Hawthorne alleged that they represented the apartment house as worth \$100,000 at the time of the deal on November 27, 1923, and took his ranch at a value of \$46,000. The complaint cited that Hawthorne had paid \$26,840 on the principle and interest on the remaining \$55,000 before he discovered that the apartment house was only worth \$41,000.

Friends Honor Bride Elect At Surprise Party

A delightful surprise shower was given Thursday evening in honor of Miss Golde Seyferth at her parents home on Fourth and Pine streets, San Pablo.

Miss Seyferth is to be a bride on December 24. The shower was a miscellaneous surprise, given by some of her many friends. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the bride elect. The evening was enjoyed in the playing of games.

Delicious refreshments were served late in the evening.

Those present were: Mrs. W. Howell, Mrs. Cora English, Mrs. E. R. Hurlbut, Mrs. E. O. Jackson, Mrs. L. LaMarsh, Mrs. Lester Seyferth, Mrs. Lida Dearborn, Mrs. W. T. Wallbank, Mrs. J. Whittier, Mrs. Otto Brieger, Mrs. W. Howell, Jr., Mrs. L. E. McCausland and Mrs. Chas. Seyferth.

Misses: Goldie Seyferth, Jewell Jaquythe, Cora English, Clara Minssen, Margaret Whittier, Margaret English, Vermae Jackson, Frankie Seyferth, Selma Minssen, Marjorie Howell and Harold Seyferth.

Mrs. Alice S. Herron, of the Berry Beauty shop, who has been ill for some time, is about to undergo an operation at an Oakland hospital. Mrs. Herron is well-known in fraternal and social circles here.

Harmony comes from doing nobody any harm.

LOCAL CHECKER PLAYERS TO GO TO OAKLAND Y

Officials of the Richmond Y. M. C. A. received an invitation yesterday to send the star checker players of the association to Oakland Monday night for a chance to cop the world's championship. Several local checker celebrities are expected to try their skill.

Newell W. Banks, claimant for the world's championship as a checker player will give an exhibition at the Oakland Y. M. C. A. on Monday night at 8 o'clock. Banks offers to take on six opponents simultaneously while he is blindfolded, or he will meet 100 players at one time both at chess and checkers.

The association is seeking to engage anyone interested in either to get the best talent possible to oppose the title holder. A. J. Baldwin of the Oakland "Y" is in charge of arrangements and all entries will be received by him.

Theosophical Society to Meet

The meeting of the Theosophical society at the W. O. W. hall at 7 o'clock tonight, will be featured by an open discussion. The public is invited to attend.

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WHOSE AIR?

Our inhabited earth is surrounded by two oceans. One is water, the other air. The water ocean has been regarded as a public domain. Modern lay gives all nations a right to navigate it beyond a three-mile limit and gives all citizens of every land a right to use the water inside that limit up to the mean tide level. But the air oceans—that is a different matter.

Always land - owners have assumed that they owned the air up to the stars as well as the earth down to the center. That was a harmless claim as long as they made no use of it. But now, with men navigating the air, it becomes a serious question.

Can a land-owner keep aviators from flying over his property? Nations collectively are doing that very thing, forbidding other nationalities the use of their air, and arresting the offenders when forced down in their territory. It is harder for individual land-owners to enforce such a rule; yet there have been similar arrests for trespass in this country, when flyers landed from necessity on inhospitable farms.

Manifestly if any property-owner can claim air rights clear up to the sky ceiling, aviation is going to be severely handicapped. It seems in order to declare the air itself public domain, at least above a certain level, with provision for compensating any property - owner down below who suffers loss by reason of a forced visitation.

WORLD TRADE RECOVERS

The Department of Commerce finds that the total volume of international trade this year will exceed pre-war trade for the first time since 1914.

Last year showed a notable advance. The aggregate trade of 63 countries representing nine-tenths of the world's trade was \$53,000,000,000 against \$40,000,000,000 in 1913. The amount this year will be larger.

European trade is still considerably below the pre-war level, with that of the United States and the rest of the world proportionately above. But Europe itself is making hopeful progress. There is a marked improvement found in European conditions, in spite of the demoralization of French finance and the unemployment in England. At last reconstruction begins to seem a reality.

It is particularly good prospect for America and largely responsible for the wave of business optimism sweeping this country lately.

We are heartily in favor of more frequent meetings of the members of the chamber of commerce. None of us are imported millionaires, here to enjoy the stored fruits of labor in other less wholesome communities, and all we have is what is here. The chamber of commerce is the community's most effective instrument for building up all our fortunes.

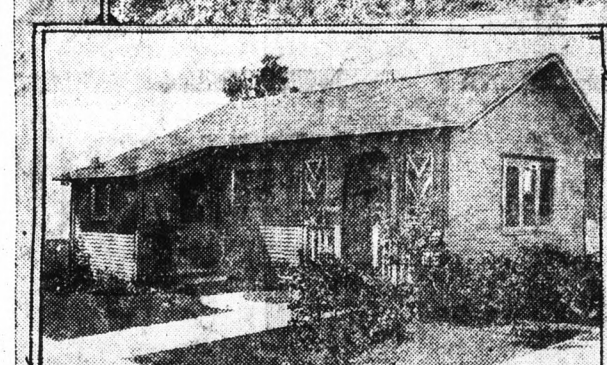
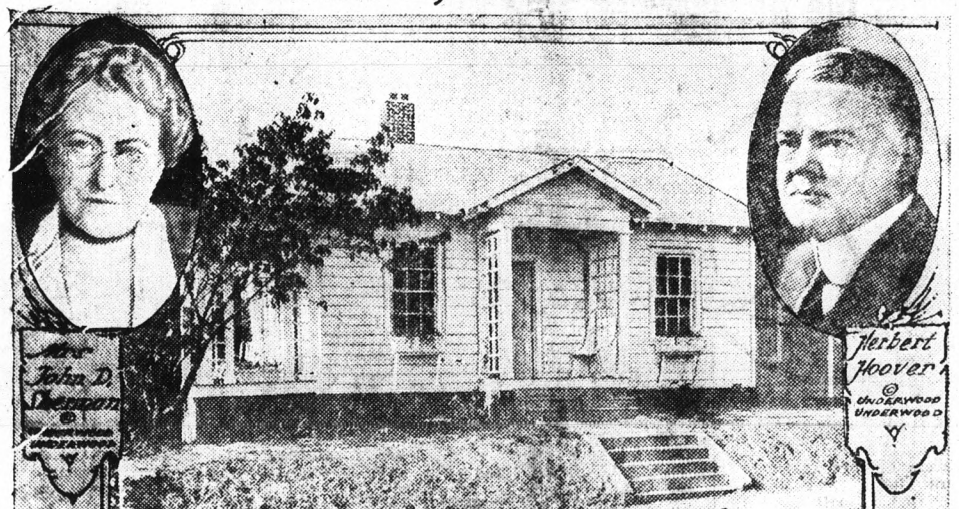
The reason so few widows bob it is because there is nobody to tell them not to.

The less important he is, the more arrogantly he can say: "A little service please."

The knock under the hood indicates carbon; the one from the back seat indicates bone.

A test of love—eating the bride's first fruitcake.

South And West Share Honors In Better Homes Competition In Which 2,000 Communities Join



ATLANTA, Ga., and Santa Barbara, Calif., divided the first prize in the 1925 Better Homes in America competitions in which 2,000 American communities participated. In each of these widely separated communities the local volunteer committees demonstrated several types of homes, suited to the needs of various income groups of their populations.

The illustrations above show "Home No. 3" in Atlanta, which was built with slight modifications

Theatrical Producer Declares Musical Comedy Plots Changing



NEW YORK—Well known literary masterpieces and old favorites of the spoken stage to-day furnish the plots for the most successful musical comedies, according to J. J. Schubert, internationally known producer and theatre owner. The flimsy, sugary, start-and-end-nowhere themes of the past will not pass muster with modern demands in musical production, declares the well known manager.

"Musical comedy is undergoing a reincarnation," said Mr. Schubert in a recent interview. "The success of Mansfield's 'Old Heidelberg', now offered as 'The Student Prince', and many others show that the theatre-going public is demanding a higher standard. 'Anthony Hope's immortal 'Prisoner of Zenda' lends itself most adaptably to musical comedy. Booth Tarkington's famous story of adolescence, 'Seventeen', is another book which is serving as a vehicle for the score writers. These best sellers will not suffer at the hands of the librettists, but with suitable costuming, special music, brilliant choruses and the leaders of light opera as principals, will take on an even greater charm."

"Blossom Time", taken from the life of Franz Schubert, is another striking example of the appeal of the success of a real plot. 'The Love Song', based on the life of

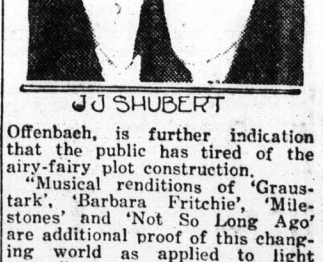
from a plan drawn by the Architect's Small House Service Bureau. This house of four rooms cost \$2,150, the lot being valued at \$350. The house was intended for occupancy by a negro family, and its furnishing and demonstration was in charge of a negro sub-committee. The furnishings were attractive, yet cost only \$750.

In Santa Barbara, the "No. 2 Home" was intended as the home of a family of very limited income. This house of three rooms and bath

was built at a cost of only \$1,545, and was furnished throughout at a cost of a trifle less than \$400. Some of this furniture was second-hand; the balance was inexpensive, but was comfortable, neat, and attractive in itself, as well as in its arrangement.

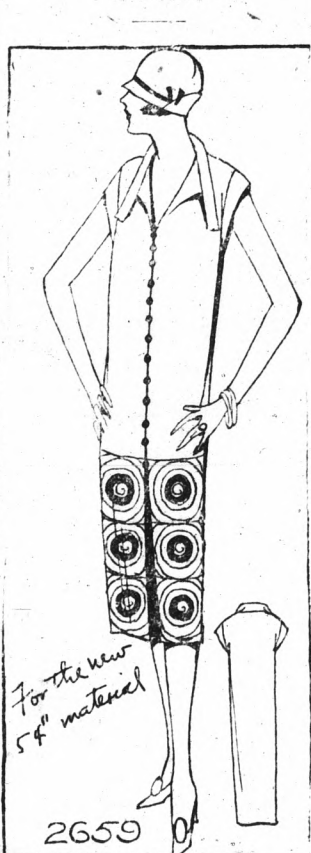
The other cities demonstrated in these two cities illustrated to their respective communities homes tastefully arranged and designed for families of somewhat larger incomes. The chief aim of the educational organization known as Better Homes in America is to illustrate and make available to the millions of American families of limited incomes how they can make the most of their homes from the standpoint of beauty, comfort, and utility, within the confines of the family means.

Secretary Hoover is president of Better Homes in America and Mrs. John D. Sherman, who is president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, is a member of its board of directors.



Offenbach, is further indication that the public has tired of the airy-fairy plot construction. "Musical renditions of 'Graumark', 'Barbara Fritchie', 'Milestones' and 'Not So Long Ago' are additional proof of this changing world as applied to light opera," asserted Mr. Schubert. "Milestones" is remembered as the basis of the successful "Maytime", and the latest musical success, "Mayflowers" is the musicalization of "Not So Long Ago".

Daily Fashion Hint



IN WIGWAM AND BROWN

The color scheme of this frock is as delightful as the design, which is created for the use of the bordered fabrics. The dress—of bordered silk—closes in front over an inserted section of dark brown crêpe in inverted-plait effect. The fronts are underlaid and rolled to form revers, the collar being cut in one with the tie-backs. Medium size requires 1 1/2 yards 54-inch bordered material and 3/4 yard plain crêpe. The crêpe may be joined at the waistline. Pictorial Review Pattern No. 2659. Sizes, 14 to 20 years and 34 to 44 inches bust. Price, 45 cents.



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CHAPTER XVI—Continued

"I dug a hole in the sand and buried it over there by that piece of timber," she cried, breathlessly, her heart throbbing furiously. "Tell me, have you ever thought of me since—"

"And I marked the spot with three clam shells. Yes—here they are."

She was down on her knees, scooping at the sand with nervous, eager hands.

He stood over her, looking down, not at the hole she was making, but at a small curl of soft auburn hair that had escaped from the bandeau's rigid custody. Suddenly Connemara uttered a little cry, and lifted a very white young face.

"Oh, Mr. Lacy! The—the money isn't here! It's gone!"

CHAPTER XVII

By Gerald Mygatt
The cold muzzle of a revolver pressed against the aristocratic neck of Mr. Saltonstall Cabot

It was still morning, as it must be, then the sun was in the east. He faced it. To the left somewhere must lie the Sound. He must bear north.

He started forcing his way through the brush. A ragged branch whipped his face and stung him. He put his hand instinctively to his cheek and winced at the touch.

In ducking under the next branch he happened to glance at his feet. He jerked upright, stared at them. Merciful heavens! And he had totally forgotten it! The shoes he saw were not shoes at all; certainly they were not the type of footwear a gentleman would or could properly wear on a cross-country tour of a Long Island briar patch. They were soft and they were long and they were pointed, but most of all, in spite of the mud that caked them, they were of a glorious cardinal red. His eyes crawled in horror up his legs. They were snugly encased in bright red tights, silk tights, somewhat torn and also mud-stained, but glaringly, unmistakably red. The eyes of Saltonstall Cabot Adams widened in horror; his jaw sagged limp. Here he was in the middle of uncharted Long Island, without a penny—for he had no pocket—and without a friend, dressed for the day in the doublet and hose of an Elizabethan courtier, doublet and hose torn and mud-smeared, but recognizable to even the most untutored eye as the garments either of an escaped lunatic or of a fancy dress ball gone very wrong indeed.

Salt sat down weakly just where he was. Then he felt something bulky inside his shirt, fumbled for it with suddenly trembling hands, and slowly pulled out into the sunlight the long, shimmering coil of hair that had once graced the head of Connemara. He dangled it in front of him, looking at it unsteadily. He had kept that, at least, through all the fighting. His eye brightened, but his teeth closed together grimly. Find Connemara! That was it. What did anything else matter? He must find Connemara.

He leaped to his feet and started plunging through the brush, the long lock of auburn hair clutched in his right hand. He came upon the road so suddenly that he was half-way across it before he realized it was there. Even as he checked himself he saw a motorcycle coming toward him. He watched fascinated. Then suddenly he recognized the broad-brimmed hat, the dark gray shirt, and the bright purple necktie of a trooper of the New York State Police.

His one controlling thought was to avoid another wallop over the bean.

Adams. A gruff voice spoke harshly.

"Now you count slow," it menaced. "You count all the way to five hundred, one count at a time, and if you know what's healthy for you you'll tick 'em off as slow as one of them there grandfather's clocks. Slower'n that, even. You just try to hurry the count and you'll earn yourself another nice wallop over the bean. D'ya want another? I'm askin' you."

"A right, then. You play the game, and when you get to five hundred you're your own boss. Get me? You can take that there bandage off your lamps and beat it."

"But the others?" Adams protested dully. "I tell you I can't leave them. How do I know—"

"A lot of books could be wrote about what you don't know," snarled the voice. "But to ease your mind, if you got any, I'll slip you the straight dope. The others, if you mean the skinny dame and the pint-size old geezer, is entirely O. K. They ain't goin' to be hurt any more than you are—that's provided in you count that five hundred. You do what we say, and don't worry about no others. Get me? A right—let's hear you start countin'."

Salt did exactly as he was bid. He strove to recall the leisurely measure of his own great-grandfather's timepiece, designed for an Adams by an Adam, and having recalled it he began, in a manner of speaking, to tick. It never occurred to him that this was an undignified procedure for a Saltonstall.

His one controlling thought was a deep desire to avoid what Mr. Pooch had characterized as another nice wallop over the bean. He had had enough of being walloped over the bean. It had proved a form of massage of a most unsatisfactory

In his boyhood Salt had many times rattled off five hundred fives in gay games of hide and seek. Now he solemnly intoned his five hundred by ones; and when he reached the half-thousand mark it occurred to him to add another, stately hundred for good measure. There are times when it pays to be on the safe side.

At last he cleared his throat. Grittingly he reached for the bandage that darkened his vision. He lifted it almost timidly, for well he knew that Pooch's threats of wallops on the bean were not empty nothingnesses. For a moment he blinked dazedly at the sudden brightness of the sunlight. Then, still blinking, he made out that he was standing alone in what seemed to be the center of an interminable forest of scrub oak, one of those endless pancake stretches of inhospitable trees, too large to mow and too small to hew, which the real-estate prospectuses of Long Island always tactfully ignore. Salt blinked some more; then he began to think.

It was still morning, of course. It must have been about dawn when he was blindfolded and marched away from that terrible boat. Since then he had been prodded, so it seemed, for many miles. Pooch had been one of the gang that so rudely jostled him; Pooch and Doc; and the one they called Swede and two or three others. Now and then he had sensed the hard surface of a highway underfoot, and twice cars had actually brushed by him. He had thought of calling out, but had recollected in time the ceremony of the wallop on the bean. Silence. He had learned, was a golden thing. He had been wheeled around with his back to each passing car. Perhaps that was why the drivers had not noticed his blindfold and suspected something queer. Well, that didn't matter.

If it was still morning, as it must be, then the sun was in the east. He faced it. To the left somewhere must lie the Sound. He must bear north.

He started forcing his way through the brush. A ragged branch whipped his face and stung him. He put his hand instinctively to his cheek and winced at the touch.

In ducking under the next branch he happened to glance at his feet. He jerked upright, stared at them. Merciful heavens! And he had totally forgotten it! The shoes he saw were not shoes at all; certainly they were not the type of footwear a gentleman would or could properly wear on a cross-country tour of a Long Island briar patch. They were soft and they were long and they were pointed, but most of all, in spite of the mud that caked them, they were of a glorious cardinal red. His eyes crawled in horror up his legs. They were snugly encased in bright red tights, silk tights, somewhat torn and also mud-stained, but glaringly, unmistakably red. The eyes of Saltonstall Cabot Adams widened in horror; his jaw sagged limp. Here he was in the middle of uncharted Long Island, without a penny—for he had no pocket—and without a friend, dressed for the day in the doublet and hose of an Elizabethan courtier, doublet and hose torn and mud-smeared, but recognizable to even the most untutored eye as the garments either of an escaped lunatic or of a fancy dress ball gone very wrong indeed.

Salt sat down weakly just where he was. Then he felt something bulky inside his shirt, fumbled for it with suddenly trembling hands, and slowly pulled out into the sunlight the long, shimmering coil of hair that had once graced the head of Connemara. He dangled it in front of him, looking at it unsteadily. He had kept that, at least, through all the fighting. His eye brightened, but his teeth closed together grimly. Find Connemara! That was it. What did anything else matter? He must find Connemara.

He leaped to his feet and started plunging through the brush, the long lock of auburn hair clutched in his right hand. He came upon the road so suddenly that he was half-way across it before he realized it was there. Even as he checked himself he saw a motorcycle coming toward him. He watched fascinated. Then suddenly he recognized the broad-brimmed hat, the dark gray shirt, and the bright purple necktie of a trooper of the New York State Police.

His one controlling thought was to avoid another wallop over the bean.

Adams. A gruff voice spoke harshly.

"Now you count slow," it menaced. "You count all the way to five hundred, one count at a time, and if you know what's healthy for you you'll tick 'em off as slow as one of them there grandfather's clocks. Slower'n that, even. You just try to hurry the count and you'll earn yourself another nice wallop over the bean. D'ya want another? I'm askin' you."

"A right, then. You play the game, and when you get to five hundred you're your own boss. Get me? You can take that there bandage off your lamps and beat it."

"But the others?" Adams protested dully. "I tell you I can't leave them. How do I know—"

"A lot of books could be wrote about what you don't know," snarled the voice. "But to ease your mind, if you got any, I'll slip you the straight dope. The others, if you mean the skinny dame and the pint-size old geezer, is entirely O. K. They ain't goin' to be hurt any more than you are—that's provided in you count that five hundred. You do what we say, and don't worry about no others. Get me? A right—let's hear you start countin'."

Salt did exactly as he was bid. He strove to recall the leisurely measure of his own great-grandfather's timepiece, designed for an Adams by an Adam, and having recalled it he began, in a manner of speaking, to tick. It never occurred to him that this was an undignified procedure for a Saltonstall.

His one controlling thought was a deep desire to avoid what Mr. Pooch had characterized as another nice wallop over the bean. He had had enough of being walloped over the bean. It had proved a form of massage of a most unsatisfactory

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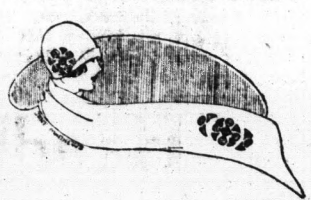


A reproduction of one of 180 murals in the Ter-Centenary Exhibit of New York, which will continue until 1926, at Wanamakers.

IN 1884 trees and grass plots bordered the sidewalks, and Fifth Avenue was not too sophisticated to sit out on the stoop of an evening. Here lovers came to adore, perching one step lower than the frizzle-banged and bustling objects of their devotion. Architecture was something nice to read about—homes were built by contractors who trusted their inspirations to pocket rules. The great aim was massive solidity—so Fifth Avenue was lined with petrified chocolate puddings.

At the right was the Croton Reservoir, a wonderful place for an outing. Little does New York, passing the Public Library to-day at Fifth Avenue and 42nd Street, stop to remember that the place sought now by those who thirst for wisdom was once the source of the city's water.

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THIS snug hat and scarf to match can be made by any girl who is clever with her needle. The material is sand colored duvetyne. The embroidery that makes the set so smart is done in English Angora yarns in warm Autumn shades. These yarns are something very new that have just been introduced in this country from England. The colors used in the conventional design are suede, russet, cinnamon and tangerine. These give an effect of cheerful warmth most gratifying on a frosty day.

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comprise our finer Fall models developed of crepe Roma, velvet, brocade, mirrolean, charmeuse, in dresses for afternoon, street and evening.

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Warm—developed in conservative patterns—trimmed with braid and contrasting collars and cuffs, at **\$7.50, \$12.50, \$17.50**

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Plain silk jackets in very attractive colored patterns and combinations, at **\$25.00**.

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Extra covering—new covering—the home always can use many comforters and blankets—Taft's will please with its wide assortment of qualities. Only the better kinds are obtainable here and we advise selection now:

LAMBS' WOOL FILLED COMFORTS
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These, too, are covered with a high grade sateen in fancy flowered and conventional designs and bound with plain—at **\$20 and \$25**

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High grade pure wool blankets in plaids of blue, rose, yellow and lavender—bound with matching sateen—a remarkable collection—**\$15 to \$25**
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A sparkling gift that is sure to please especially if it comes from Taft's—from brooches, earrings, bracelets, necklaces, chokers, hair ornaments, shoe buckles, hat ornaments—there is everything to please. Novelty and pearl necklaces.

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Wondrous Beaded Bags Came from Paris for Gifts

Something sure to please is a beaded bag. This year the imports from Paris are more lovely than ever. All steel is intricately interwoven with colored beads in bizarre designs. Shapes bewitch with their novelty and Taft assortments make shopping a delight.

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Bags—handmade of steel beads—for street and afternoon—are gorgeous, **\$17.50 to \$35**

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Church and Sunday School

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, SAN PABLO

Corner 22nd and Bush streets. Rev. Cecil T. Axworthy, pastor. Miss Jewell Jaquith, organist. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday school, classes for all ages. Come and get in the automobile race still going on. C. I. Danlap, superintendent. 11 a. m.—Divine hour of worship. Rev. M. E. LaFleur, pastor of the First Advent Christian church will occupy the pulpit in exchange with the pastor, Dr. LaFleur is one of the leading preachers of the city of Oakland, and is a man with a great mes-

sage. 9:30 p. m.—The Young Peoples meeting. Election of officers at 8:30. Rev. C. T. Axworthy in charge. 7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic meeting preceded by a lively song service. The pastor will preach. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services. Come! Where you will be a stranger but once.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Service of prayer and praise. Rev. David Newell will have charge of the service.

POINT RICHMOND BAPTIST MISSION

Located at Scene and Washington. Jesse L. Smith, pastor. Fred H. Hucaba, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school for boys and girls of all ages at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m.

every Sunday morning. Morning theme, "Divided Heart." Good gospel singing and talk to boys and girls. Everyone is welcome to worship with us.

SEVEN DAY ADVENT CHURCH

Corner of Ohio and 13th street. M. Shepherd, pastor. Sunday at 7:30 p. m. All invited.

RICHMOND UNITY CENTER

Richmond club house at 11 a. m. Mrs. Jas. T. Nabert will be the speaker. There will be community singing and every one is cordially invited to attend.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Tenth street at Nevin, Charles R. G. Poole, pastor. 9:30 a. m.—Bible school; C. E. Parker, superintendent. Classes for all ages.

11 a. m.—Morning worship. 6:30 p. m.—The Baptist Young people will hold their regular meeting.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend this service. Come where you will be a stranger but once. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Regular mid-week service of prayer.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Corner 12th and Bissell streets. Rev. Earl W. Haney, minister. Sunday at the church. Phone 1728-W. Residence 126 12th st. Phone 1687-W.

Church school at 9:15. Mr. A. H. Poage, superintendent. Classes for all ages. Mr. F. C. Shallenberger will speak before the adult department.

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Scene From California Picture



Dorothy Gish in "ROMOLA"

LILLIAN GISH IN "ROMOLA" HERE TODAY

Lillian Gish will be seen at the California theatre Monday and Tuesday in her latest picture, "Romola," a film version of the famous novel by George Eliot. It is a Henry King production for inspiration, and is released through Metro-Goldwyn.

Dorothy Gish plays one of the principal roles, it being the first picture in which the two sisters have appeared together since "Orphans of the Storm." Others in the cast include Ronald Colman, who played opposite the star in "The White Sister," William H. Powell, Charles Lane, and Herbert Grimwood, besides a number of distinguished Italian actors. The picture was made at Florence, Italy, the actual locale of the story.

Evening worship at 7:30. Message by Mr. Haney, "What the Word of God will Do." One of the illustrations will be The Gospel at work in "Bloody" Herin in 1925. If you are discouraged and defeated by sin, this sermon is what you need. If you, Christian, are fainthearted, this will give you new faith. Come and bring your friend.

Music for Sunday morning, anthem by the choir, "How Long Will Thou Forget Me?" Nevin; Mrs. W. P. Cooper, Miss Jessie Lambrecht, S. J. Collins, "Hear Our Prayer," C. M. Abbot, Evening anthem "Ye That Stand in the House of the Lord," Spinney, Duet "Will There Be Any Stars?" Mrs. Clarence Craig and Mrs. Vera Glasby.

Wednesday at 7:30 prayer meeting.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sixth and Bissell, F. A. Woten, pastor; Miss Florence Clark, organist. Men's Bible Class at Richmond theatre at 9:45 a. m. Good singing.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching and Communion service, 11. Subject of sermon "Who Stole the Money?" Special music, Miss Helen Morehouse.

Every member canvass 1 to 3 p. m. C. C. Kratzer in charge. 6:15 p. m.—Junior, Intermediate and Senior Christian Endeavor. 7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic service. Subject of sermon "The Rich Man

VARIETY BILL FEATURED AT CALIFORNIA

Heading the program of variety at the California Theatre today is the popular musical organization under the leadership of Wilt Gunzendorfer. This popular octette of synco-symphonists are at present on the schedule of station KFRC and on Saturday night may be heard broadcasting from Hotel Whitcomb, San Francisco. Radio fans will not doubt be eager to hear these boys direct and in consequence of their popularity the California management are supplying that treat for their patrons today. Their present program contains many novel interpolations which should find immediate favor with their auditors. Besides the most up to date hits, their concert will introduce several medleys of old time favorites.

The State Trio with a blending of comedy and harmony that is commendable will run the band a close second for honors as this neat appearing singing act is a real cracker-jack.

"By the Buffonery, introduces Roy Dove and Girlie in a pot pourri offering, consisting mostly of comedy hits, interspersed with some novel jugglery stunts. Roy is a likeable comedian with plenty of tricks up his sleeve.

"The girl who sings to beat the band" is Dorothy Williams. This pretty songstress has a repertoire of numbers that have universal appeal and a pleasing personality that always wins her audience.

When you see Raymond Griffith today, you'll readily admit "He's a Prince!" in the picture by the title which heads a high class program.

"He's a Prince!" directed by Edward Sutherland from Keene Thompson's adaptation of the story of Reginald Morris and Joseph Mitchell, is a strictly Griffith story, with Griffith gags and Griffith ideas.

Paramount furnishes Griffith with his own special comedy production unit for this one More power to them!

Remember Mary Brian as "The Little French Girl" and in "The Street of Forgotten Men"? She's more charming than ever here. Tyrone Power is cast as the King, Ray's father; Nigel de Bruliere is the revolutionist who double-crosses Griffith and Gustav Von Seyffertitz is cast as the Prime Minister. Others include Kathleen Kirkham, Carl Stockdale, Michael Clark, Lincoln Plummer, in a comedy role, as the tourist guide; Jacqueline Gadsen and Jerry Austin.

Other features include "What's Up?" a roaring comedy; "Kinograms," Carl Richard's California orchestra; Larry Canelo at the mammoth organ.

and Lazarus." Special music. Christmas choir rehearsal, Tuesday evening 7:30. 7:30 p. m.—Regular mid-week service.

Christmas program, Sunday night, December 20. Christmas party, tree and treat, Wednesday night, December 23.

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass will be said every Sunday at St. John's church at Stege Junction in the future at 8:30 and 10 a. m. Between the two masses Sunday school will be held.

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Air Mail Filled With Thrills At The Richmond

All the romance—all the thrills of the U. S. Government Air Mail Service has been caught for the screen in Paramount's "The Air Mail," an Irvin Willat production, which comes to the Richmond theatre today. Warner Baxter, Billie Dove, Mary Brian and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., are featured in the leading roles of the production, written especially for the screen by Byron Morgan, author of "Code of the Sea" and others.

Baxter plays the role of a clever crook who becomes an air postman solely for the purpose of robbing the mails. Living up to the code of the service, "Nor wind nor snow, nor rain, nor night, can stay the pilot in his flight," results in the death of one of the Service's most capable men. On his death bed he asks Baxter to "carry on" and it is the beginning of the regeneration of the thief.

"The Air Mail" is a thrill-filled romantic drama that should prove one of the most entertaining pictures you've seen in months.

Other features on the same program include "Ask Grandma" and "Our Gang" comedy; "Kinograms" world news events.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Redmen's hall, Eleventh street and Nevin avenue. S. T. Himes, Ph. D., pastor. Residence 729 Nevin avenue. E. J. Evans, superintendent of the Sunday school. Sunday school begins at 10 o'clock.

At the 11 o'clock service the subject by the pastor will be on "Christ's Testimony of John the Baptist." This Testimony of John was given as the forerunner of Christ in the face of great opposition resulting in imprisonment and death. Our Christmas service will be held on Sunday evening December 20, at 7:30. A special program will be announced later.

Luther League this Sunday evening at 6:30. Topic for discussion "Bible Principles of Giving." A cordial welcome is extended to everyone to each and all of these services.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH POINT RICHMOND

W. P. Grant, pastor; Mrs. J. O. Ford, choirster; Mrs. Irene Myrthow, organist; Geo. P. Glineberg, Sunday school superintendent.

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There is a shoe here to suit every member of the family.

There is a shoe here to suit every purse as well as every taste.

AND BESIDES YOU CAN SAVE MONEY



Felt Slippers

For Christmas Gifts

95c up

B. - B. SHOE STORE

720 MACDONALD AVENUE

CLASSIFIED ADS

No matter what you may wish to buy or sell—make the Record-Herald's "Classified" ads. All ads are CLASSIFIED in groups to make this a quick finding section as well as a profitable one.

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1—Lodge and Meeting Notices

SONS OF ST. GEORGE—Gladstone Lodge, No. 531, meets first and third Tuesday at Memorial Hall at 8 o'clock p. m. Banner, Secretary; R. F. D., Box 147, Richmond, C. Badcock, president.

GOLDEN GATE COUNCIL, No. 3, Junior O. U. A., meets Wednesday nights, in the small hall in W. O. W. Hall. O. H. Bonne, Recording Secretary, P. O. Box 1121, Richmond, Calif.

NATIVE SONS—Of Golden West, No. 217, Edward Peterson, Stege, President; B. H. Cunningham, Secretary 520 Ohio Street, Meeting nights, first and third Tuesday of the month. Meeting place, Redman hall Eleventh Street and Nevins.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Richmond Lodge, No. 13 meets every Wednesday night at K. of P. hall, 5th St., near Macdonald. Visitors always welcome. Mitchell Stosilo, C. C.; F. G. Blackhart, K. of C. and S.

2—Lost and Found

LOST—SMALL BIRD AND FOX TERRIER dog. Return to 2211 Barrett Ave. and receive reward. 12 6 3t

FOUND—LADY'S FUR NECK piece. Owner can have by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Call at No. 3 Fire station, Nineteenth and Barrett.

LOST—ONE FEMALE FOX TERRIER pup. Two months old. Return to Sunset Cigar store, 2227 Macdonald ave. Reward, 11 11 1t

3—Special Notices, Personals

LEADING CLUB, largest, most reliable for lonely people; confidential descriptions free in plain sealed envelope; thousands wealthy members; if sincere, write; established 20 years. Old Reliable Club (name copyrighted). Mrs. Wrubel, Box 86, Oakland, Calif. 4 26 1t

4—Help Wanted Situations Wanted

WANTED—POSITION AS SALES lady or in alteration room. Thoroughly experienced in both. Call Mrs. Daniels, Rich. 1315-W. 12 12 3t

WANTED—NURSING AT PRIVATE homes, maternity or otherwise. Call 450 6th Street or Phone Rich. 1545-W.

WANTED—NURSING, MATERNITY case or day work. Phone 2184-J. 12-9-4t

6—Business Directory

SAFETY FIRST—
Your clothes are insured every moment they are out of your house.
C. O. D. CLEANERS AND DYERS
(Established 1909)
WORKS 2409 MACDONALD
PHONE RICH. 683

ZEB KNOTT
Sherwin-Williams Paints, Stains and Varnishes
All Grades of Wall Paper
PAINTING AND PAPER HANGING
319 North Seventh Street
ALL WORK GUARANTEED

I make and acknowledge all kinds of legal papers: deeds mortgages contracts, leases, etc. Homes for rent, fire insurance.
H. G. STIDHAM
NOTARY PUBLIC
188 Washington Avenue
Office Phone 868; Res. Phone 920

6—Business Directory

FOR GOOD TAILORING OF ALL KINDS SEE
M. CONRAD
Ladies' and Gents' TAILOR
Clothes Made to Order of Every Description
PHONE RICH. 1403-J

HAVE YOUR SUIT CLEANED and pressed at Black's 1309 Macdonald Avenue, Phone 723. We call and deliver. Prompt service and good work.

"LET MAYER DO IT" IF YOU want your old suit made like new. Phone 452; cleaning, mending, repairing, or pressing. Work called for and delivered. Mayer's American Cleaning Works, 1115 Macdonald Avenue 4 11 1t

NOTARY PUBLIC
REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE
Phone Richmond 180
O. J. Ripley, Sales Manager

IF ANY RESIDENT OF RICHMOND knows of families in distress or need, kindly report same to the Societies handling relief. Phone Richmond 1340 or Richmond 335 3 25 1t

TYPEWRITERS
SOLD REPAIRED
Kearney - Furrer
PHONE RICHMOND 7
721 Macdonald Avenue

7—Business Opportunities, Investments

WILL GUARANTEE SALARY OF \$50.00 per week and furnish auto to several men selling excellent Ford accessories. Address Sales manager, 670 Broadway, Granville, Ohio.

\$10.00 TO \$50.00 QUICKLY
To The Many Workers
Rates lowest. No security, no publicity. Best and most private terms. What National banks do for big business, we do for the man or the woman who works.
H. L. DRAKE.

8—For Rent—Rooms, Houses, Apartments, Flats

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOM HOUSE with bath. Large yard. Phone Rich. 1715-W. 12 8 6t

FOR RENT—LARGE, SUNNY, well furnished room for rent, in heart of business district. Rent reasonable. 907 Macdonald Avenue.

FOR RENT—THREE ROOMS, 2 wall beds and garage \$20.00. 1018 Florida St., near 10th St.

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM BUNGALOW, bath \$25.00, 137 South Second St., near Ohio St.

FOR RENT TWO AND THREE room furnished apartments. The Westin, 24th and Rheem. Apply Apt. No. 1. 9 1t

FOR RENT—THREE AND FOUR room furnished apartments. The Andrade, 2111 Gaynor Ave. Apply Apt. No. 1. 9 1t

FOR RENT—2, 3, AND 4 ROOM furnished and unfurnished apartments. Appraisal and Sales Corporation, 2234 Macdonald Ave. Phone Rich. 2200. 4 28 1t

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOM COTTAGE, bath, gas, elect. \$15.00 per month. Apply Gnaga, 146 Washington Ave. 3 31 1t

FOR RENT—3 ROOMS and garage \$16.00. Apply 789 11th St.

PIANOS FOR RENT
You can rent a piano by the month from A. Winters at 11th and Macdonald. 7 10 1t

Record-Herald want ads bring quick results—Try one.

Earl Corey
FORD
Super Service
ANNOUNCES
New
Richmond Phone
RICHMOND 243
San Pablo &
Cyress Ave.
ON HIGHWAY

9—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—BARBECUE AND refreshment stand. Good trade. 5 year lease, stock, and fixtures. Also four room modern bungalow in rear. \$1300 for cash. Rent \$50.00 per month. Call any day between 7:30 a. m. and 9:00 p. m. at 188 San Pablo Ave., El Cerrito or Phone Berk. 6063. 8 22 1t

USED CARS FOR SALE
1923 Ford roadster, good condition, cord tires.
1923 Ford touring, good condition, cord tires.
1923 Maxwell coupe, new paint. C. C. KRATZER 10th and Bissell 9-5

11—Real Estate For Sale
FOR SALE—SPANISH BUNGALOW, new, 2 bks. east of San Pablo on Dwight Way, Berkeley. Near S. F. cars, 5 rms. with breakfast room and garage. \$1500 equity for \$1100, easy terms; will consider San Pablo lots in exchange.
CHAS. M. WIGGIN
396 17th St., Oakland 12-9-6t

11—Real Estate For Sale

FOR SALE—BY OWNER—5 RM. home in Albany. Will take \$800 for equity. Place \$3700. Easy monthly payments. Call 802 Taltot Ave., Albany, Evenings 3t.

FOR EXCHANGE—A LOT IN North Richmond, on highway, for car or what have you to trade. See owner 668 Third St. 12 4 6t

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, BETTER terms. Four charming bungalows in Albany on transportation. Lots or good paper considered. A. E. Camp, 672 35th Street, Oakland. Phone Lakeside 1688, evenings. 12 4 6t

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Leo Persico
MONEY TO LOAN
ON REAL ESTATE

MONEY TALKS
\$2300—TERMS
4 lots, two blocks from Elks building. It takes money to make money and these lots 50 feet off 10th street.

THIS HOME CAN BE BUILT ON YOUR LOTS AND WE WILL FURNISH MOST OF THE MONEY
Now listen carefully. Five large rooms with modern plumbing; living room with beautiful fireplace, book case, writing desk, built-in buffet; French doors between dining and living rooms; hardwood floors, beautiful tapestry paper on walls, other rooms tiled—kitchen in white with latest cabinet work. Garage.

Price \$3000
\$4300—\$350 DOWN
This beautiful new stucco bungalow and garage. Right in the center of town.

IN BEAUTIFUL MIRA VISTA
\$5750—\$500 DOWN
5-room Spanish type bungalow with wonderful view (never occupied).

\$1800—\$100 DOWN
4-room cottage and garage, few blocks from bank.

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BURG BROS., Inc.
BARGAINS

7 NEW BUNGALOWS
with all modern up-to-date features, are nearly completed. These houses were built to sell the lots and not for profit.

EASY, CONVENIENT TERMS
Special: 4-Rm. Cottage \$2500
\$50 Cash, \$25 per month.
Why waste your money on rent receipts?

BURG BROS., Inc.
309 23rd St. Richmond 730
Realtors Richmond, Calif.

PAULSEN'S TIPS!
\$275 DOWN—4 room plastered house in Grant School District. Large garage. A good buy at \$2850 \$275 down. \$30 a month.

A STEAL AT \$2850—5 room modern house, built-in fixtures, and in fine condition. 2 lots. Worth \$4000. Only \$750 down. \$25 a month.

2 Corner lots on Esmond Avenue. All street work in and paid. Only \$695.

PAULSEN REALTY SERVICE
California Theatre Building
Telephone Richmond 825
Night phone: Rich. 322-W

Attention Renters
Deal with owner and buy a house with the money you are now paying out in rent!

No down payment required. This house is brand new, located close to local and S. F. transportation in Albany—Contains 2 bedrooms, combination living and dining room, kitchen and breakfast nook, laundry room. Fire place, good plumbing—It is beautifully finished inside. Large garage for full particulars. Phone or write—

M. A. Camp
331 12 Street, Oakland
PHONE LAKESIDE 1688

LAMBRECHT'S
Wood, Coal and Brécettes
Building Materials
HAY and GRAIN
C. J. Lambrecht
Office 2207 Macdonald
YARD PHONE RICH. 1192
PHONE RICH. 1058

YEARS OF NEURITIS
San Mateo, Calif.
I had neuritis for years. I had tried many remedies without results. Two months of Fong Wan Herbs afforded me a complete and permanent relief.
Mrs. Mary Leith.

FONG WAN HERB CO.
The Largest Chinese Herb Co. on the Coast.
Direct Importers of Chinese Herbs
576 10th St. (formerly 545 8th St.)
OAKLAND, CALIF.
Cons. Free. Ph. Oakland 2767.
Wonderful Boles on Herbs
Mailed upon receipt of postage.
Hours: 9 to 7 daily, 9 to 12 Sunday.

UNCLE WIGGLY'S TRICKS.
It's your move now, Mr. Twistytail.

In the meantime Uncle Wiggly fell asleep.

Jump, Uncle Wiggly!

Uncle Wiggly, dreaming a fox was after him, JUMPED!

NO! SHE'S BEEN TAKING LESSONS ON THE PIANOLA FOR A WEEK.

HOW IS SHE GETTING ALONG?

GREAT! ALREADY SHE CAN PLAY BETTER WITH HER FEET THAN MOST PEOPLE CAN PLAY WITH THEIR HANDS!

By Charles McManus

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BANG! SOLD!

To the first man that saw the house we advertised yesterday, we said, "act quick" and he did. Several others were disappointed. Watch this space for announcements of other houses when they are finished.

—Another Bargain—
Outside owner says "sell this lot on San Pablo Avenue, 2 blocks from Macdonald Avenue for \$600." Act Quick if you want this.

B. SCHAPIRO & CO.
1002 Macdonald Ave.
(over Martin's Gift)
PHONE RICHMOND 902

E. P. VAUGHAN
REALTOR
Phone Rich. 233 915 Macdonald

FOR SALE
New Bungalows
ONE—\$3950.00
ONE—\$4650.00
ONE—\$4950.00
ONE—\$5500.00

All in good locations, and on easy terms.
Each of these houses are of exceptional value, and there is a good reason for this assertion, which I can prove to a buyer.

LOOK THEM OVER!

E. P. VA

Sunday at the Churches

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner Washington and Nicholl avenues. Rev. H. L. Oberholtzer, vicar. Rev. John L. Bate, curate. Miss Doris Lincoln, organist.

Sunday, December 7, 1925. Mrs. Sarah Howell, will furnish flowers for the altar.

10 a. m.—Church school. Rev. Bate superintendent. Miss Virginia Feenner, pianist.

11 a. m.—Morning Prayer and address.

2:30 p. m.—Monday afternoon there will be a special meeting of the Guild in the church hall, in the nature of a reception to Rev. O. M. Bailey, who will have charge of the Mission after January 1. All church people are especially invited to this affair.

In fact everyone interested, whether affiliated with the church or not, will be heartily welcomed. Refreshments will be served.

7:15 Monday Evening, Choir practice.

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH, SOUTH

Twenty-first and Roosevelt ave. Milton Harlan Greenlee, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.—Classes for all ages.

Morning worship, 11 a. m.

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There will be the regular installation of Sunday school officers and teachers at this service. Special sermon for the occasion by pastor "These Things Command and Teach."

Intermediate Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.

Seniors at 7 p. m.

Evening worship 7:30 p. m. Gospel message by pastor and the usual splendid congregational singing of Gospel songs. This is a service that is becoming popular. You will like it.

Francis Ashbury Comrade, Monday 7 p. m., at Social Hall.

Girl Pioneers at Social Hall 7 p. m. Tuesday.

Prayer service and Bible study 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Christian Training School for all boys and girls after school Thursday.

Thursday, 7 p. m. Sam Houston Pioneers at Social Hall.

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at 7:30, Sunday morning at 11, Sunday night at 7:30.

The young people are given a special invitation to attend the Sunday morning Bible classes held at 9:45. These classes are taught by teachers well grounded and faithful in the Scriptures.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30.

All are given a hearty invitation to attend these meetings.

First Church of Christ Scientist

Nevin avenue and Twelfth street

A recognized branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

Holds Sunday services at 11 a. m. Subject: "God the Preserver of Man."

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. A Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially welcome. Christian Science reading room in the church edifice is open from 12 to 4 p. m. and Saturday evenings from 7 to 9.

ST. MARK'S CATHOLIC

Rev. P. M. Griffin, pastor; Rev. Harold Collins, assistant. Bissell avenue and Tenth street. Services today at 7, 8:30 and 10:30 o'clock.

Sunday school under the direction of Sister of the Holy Family immediately after the 8:30 o'clock mass. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock.

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS

Meet in Memorial hall, 250 12th street.

Harp-Bible study at 10:45 p. m. Public lecture at 3 p. m.

Speaker F. M. Williams of Richmond.

All truth seekers are cordially invited to attend both the study and lecture.

Admission free, no collection.

REV. OBERHOLTZER'S BIBLE CLASS

Meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Mary Shoemaker, 1024 Barrett avenue.

Rev. J. I. Oberholtzer in charge. The class is open to everyone interested. Bring your Bibles.

SALVATION ARMY

7:30 p. m.—Open air service.

8 p. m.—Christian Praise meetings.

Sunday 11 a. m. Holiness meeting.

2:30 p. m.—Sunday school and Bible class.

6:30 p. m.—Young People's Legion.

7:30 p. m.—Open air services.

8 p. m.—Salvation meeting in the hall.

Good music and song. The public is cordially invited.

WESLEY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner Ninth and Nevin. C. G. Lindemann, minister.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. every Sunday morning. We have classes for adults, young people, and children. Bring the family.

Morning worship at 11. Sermon theme "The Heavenly Artisan."

Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. A service for young people.

Popular evening services at 7:30. Good congregational singing, special music by the choir; illumination of the cross; sermon by the pastor on the theme, "What is That To Thee?" This sermon is based upon Christ's question to Peter.

The Sunday school board will meet for its regular monthly supper and business meeting Monday evening at 6:15.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. The third chapter of the book, "The Marks of a World Christian" will be discussed.

Pageant practice will be held on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7:30. Everybody out for these last practices.

Circle No. 1 of the Ladies Aid Society will hold an all day Christmas quilting party at the church on Friday, December 18. Don't forget the Christmas program.

STEEGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Henry Kendall Sanborne, minister. E. V. Skiles, superintendent of Bible school. Mrs. E. V. Skiles, choir director and pianist.

9:45 a. m.—Bible school.

11 a. m.—Morning worship.

Rev. W. D. Chamberlain, pastor of the thousand Presbyterian students at the University of California, will preach.

Special music.

1:30 p. m.—Japanese Sunday school.

4:30 p. m.—Junior C. E.

6:30 p. m.—Senior C. E. and Intermediate C. E.

7:30 p. m.—Evening message. The pastor will preach "The Life Quest of Jesus and Ours." Special music.

7:30 p. m.—Wednesday—Prayer and praise service.

Christmas will be observed Sunday, December 20. The Bible school White Gifts program, December 23.

A welcome is extended to all our services.

READ IT FIRST IN THE RECORD-HERALD.

MEXICAN BAPTIST MISSION

Barrett avenue and C street.

Rev. E. W. Watson, pastor.

3 p. m. Bible school. H. G. Holstine, superintendent. Classes in English.

4 p. m. Preaching in Spanish. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF MERCY

West Richmond Ave. Rev. William Cleary, pastor.

First mass—7:00 o'clock.

Second mass—9:00 o'clock.

Sunday school, conducted by the Presentation Sisters, immediately after the 9:00 o'clock mass.

THE EAST RICHMOND PRESBYTERIAN CHAPEL

On 31st street between Clinton and Roosevelt. Sunday school at 9:45.

Mr. F. J. Stark, superintendent. You are invited to attend this neighborhood Sunday school.

ST EDMUND'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

10th and Barrett. Rev. H. I. Oberholtzer, Vicar.

7:30 a. m.—Holy Communion.

9:30 a. m.—Church school.

11 a. m.—Morning service and sermon.

6 p. m.—Y. P. F.

7:30 p. m.—Evening service and sermon.

3:30 p. m. Junior Choir practice.

6:45 p. m.—G. F. S. supper and meeting.

Wednesday—Woman's Auxiliary

Day, 11 a. m. Holy Communion and address; 12:30 p. m. lunch-con; 2:30 p. m. meeting and address by Mrs. C. P. Deems of San Francisco; 7:30 p. m. Choir practice.

Thursday, 10:30 a. m.—Service of Intercession and Spiritual healing.

7 p. m.—Pioneers.

Friday—8 p. m. Y. P. F. vaudeville.

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POINT IMPROVEMENT CLUB MEETS MONDAY

There is to be a meeting of the West Side Improvement club on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Point Masonic temple. Mrs. Grace Topping will preside over the meeting, at which business of special importance will be brought up.

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The Gift

**THOUGHT
and
COMMENT**

Contributions to this department will be gladly received and published. All articles must be signed. The signatures will be withheld from published articles on request.

OUR TOWN

Instead of kicking your town, try kicking yourself.
All things come to the town that presents a solid front.
Selfishness is responsible for more sorrows in the world than anything else.

What our town needs, is not merely to say what our town needs.

The man who boasts intelligently truthfully and persistently is truly a builder of buildings.

The merchant who talks most about hard times doesn't advertise in his home paper.

Lots of people pretend progressiveness, but their actions give this the denial. After all, actions are what count.

A man who wouldn't fight for his town in a pinch shouldn't feel peeved if the town lays down upon him at a critical moment.

Even an electric button has to be pushed, but who wants to be an electric button?

BE A BOOSTER

"If you live in and do business in a town, for heaven's sake be loyal to it. If this town furnishes you with food and shelter, boost it; stand by it, and stand by the industries it represents. If put to a pinch, an ounce of loyalty is worth a ton of clever knocking. As long as you are a part of a community, be a real man; do not condemn it."—(Exchange)

BOOST THE HOME TOWN

If you are going to live here, give here.

Think well of your town and your town will think well of you.

Be an example to your town—not a problem.

The kind of clothes that make a man it not the mail-order kind.

It takes a crew to sail a ship. It takes co-operation to make a town.

Don't be a fellow who never runs to anything but a fire.

Do not think that you can prosper whether your town does or not.

Don't be a hair-trigger knocker and a slow-fuse booster.—Exchange.

RUSSIA NOT TO ENTER LEAGUE

(By Universal Service)
LONDON, Dec. 12.—Tchitcherin, Russia's greatest diplomat is being quoted as saying that Russia intends to remain outside the League of Nations because it is not at present constituted a ready instrument for world peace. He also regards the Locarno pact with apprehension.

Mrs. F. D. Radcliffe and her daughter, Kathryn Radcliffe, of Redley, California are the guests of Mrs. J. H. Chandler over the week-end.

Husband and Wife

My wife lectures at her club on the proper raising of children and lets our son run wild.—S. H. M.

What Does Your Wife Do?



My wife lectures at her club on the proper raising of children and lets our son run wild.—S. H. M.

PRESIDENT SCORES ARMY COURT

GOVERNOR'S CHARGES TO BE PROBED BY WEBB

EXECUTIVE MAY BE SUMMONED BY GRAND JURY

Controversy Arose Over Parole Of Notorious Bunco Man Of Los Angeles

GANGS PROTECTED, CHARGE

Jury Foreman Visits San Quentin But Denies He Is There On Official Business

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Charges made by Governor Richardson that the officials of Los Angeles provided protection for bunco and graft rings will be investigated by Attorney General C. S. Webb. The announcement was made today after a conference between the attorney general and a delegation of the inquirers.

Clayton R. Taylor, foreman of the Los Angeles grand jury, refused to deny or affirm the report that Webb had been sought to take charge of the investigations. At the time he was interviewed, Taylor was making a tour of San Quentin prison but denied that he was there on official business.

The controversy in Los Angeles is the outgrowth of the broadside hurled at Los Angeles officials by the governor when he was attacked by District Attorney A. A. Keyes of Los Angeles for permitting the parole of E. A. (Big Hutch) Hutchings, notorious bunco leader.

Governor Richardson has refused to make any statement in regard to the matter. He has failed to appear before the grand jury and Keyes is said to have considered subpoenaing the governor and forcing him to give any information he had concerning the protection for bunco men.

After it was reported that the governor might be permitted to testify without having a subpoena served on him.

Italy to Settle Labor Troubles With New Courts

(By Universal Service)
ROME, Dec. 12.—The law creating special courts for the settlement of labor disputes was passed by the chamber of deputies tonight by a unanimous vote. The measure compels the recognition of labor as a national asset and the right of capital by labor. Only a few Communists voted against the bill.

War Mothers Will Attend Funeral of Preston Rosier

Monday afternoon at 2:45 the Richmond War Mothers will meet at the corner of Tenth and Macdonald avenue to attend the funeral of Preston Rosier in a body, which will be held at the St. Edmund's Episcopal church.

Mrs. Rosa Rosier, widow of the dead man, is a member of the War Mothers.

May Break Strike With Legislature

(By Universal Service)
NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Final refusal of the anthracite operators to resume settlement of the miners' strike was indicated today. The summoning of the Pennsylvania legislature probably will be the next step in the controversy.

Ernie Nevers To Play Ball With Majors

Baseball—not football, is to be the line of endeavor of Ernie Nevers, Pacific Coast star of the past football season, as the announcement made here by George Nevers, father of the now famous fullback.

It is understood that Ernie will take up the national game after a fling at football to show he is as good as Rod Grange. It was indicated by the senior Nevers that the St. Louis Nationals, one of several major league clubs that offered a place to young Nevers, will be the future stamping ground of the college youth.

No announcement could be obtained from the elder Nevers regarding Ernie's recompense for playing baseball, but it is understood that he will receive between \$15,000 and \$20,000 per year. He will get \$30,000 in his professional all football days, it is reported.

Exhibition Bouts Open New Arena For Boxing Fans

Four exhibition bouts were staged last night under the auspices of the El Cerrito Athletic club at their formal opening. As the bouts were just "friendly affairs" no decisions were given.

The first bout, Jimmie McFarland vs. Charlie Rogers started out as a quiet petting affair with dancing between the acts. In the first round both boys seemed conscious of the crowd and were just a bit stage struck. But with the second round Rogers opened up and did some pretty slugging. Rogers could have easily floored McFarlane if he had followed up his advantages but he seemed to have a liking for his playmate and merely boxed. The third round also went to Rogers and here this boy showed he was a fighter. No decision.

Jimmie Moran and Young Joe Levine gave a good exhibition of swift action. Moran has plenty of wallop in his right but Levine kept away from his through-out the first two rounds. In the third both rushed in and for a minute it looked as if the crowd would see something worth while but both boys slowed down and the bout ended.

The real battle of the evening that looked like a battle was Al Crisp vs. Vic Morrison. Both boys showed good footwork. Crisp was a shade better than Morrison and landed some pretty ones with his left. Morrison packs a powerful wallop in his right and Crisp kept away from him. Crisp snorted around like a steam engine, slugging away at a great rate. No decision given.

The fourth bout was an exhibition of boxing by the Clubs instructor, Joe Levine and Bill Glo Levine, former lightweight-weight champion of the coast and showed some real stuff.

The evening was concluded by a dancing party.

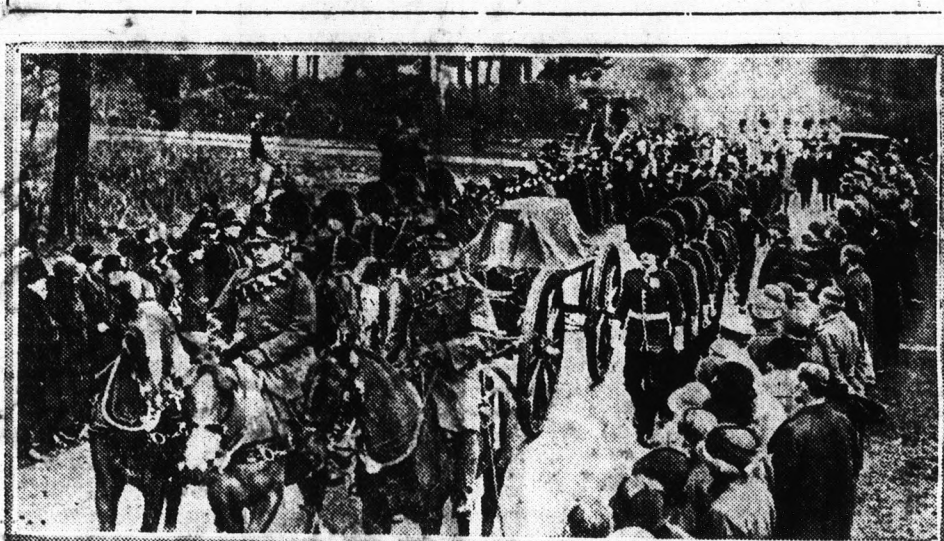
League Sends Invitations

(By Universal Service)
GENEVA, Dec. 12.—Invitations to the United States, Germany and Russia to join the preliminary arms conference are understood to have been sent tonight by the League of Nations.

Disaster Feared For Yacht, Crew

(By Universal Service)
NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Fear was expressed in shipping circles for the safety of the yacht Mirar, missing with her captain and crew of 11 men since November 30 under charter of a hotel millionaire.

Royal Mourners Following Casket of Queen Mother As Cortege Is On Way To London Railway Station



PROGRAM FOR INSTITUTE IS ANNOUNCED

The Teachers Institute of Contra Costa County will meet at 8 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Roosevelt Junior high school Auditorium.

The program will be as follows:

- 1:00 Our Youth and the Spirit of today by Professor Paul F. Cadman, Dean of Men, U. of California.
- 1:45 The Curriculum by Dr. Raymond H. Franzen, Director of Research, Contra Costa County.
- 2:30 Music by Richmond High School Glee Club.
- 3:00 Educational Problems and Policies by William H. Hanlon.

Song—Mrs. Winifred G. Hanlon.

Time will be taken during the program to make necessary announcements and for the election of two members to the Bay Section Council. Nominations will be offered by a petition signed by fifteen members of the Association. Petitions to be filed twenty-four hours before the election.

Programs for general session, attendance cards, etc., will be distributed at the Richmond meeting.

Local Girls In "Electric Trio"

Miss Eunice Healey, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Healey of 869 Sixth street, Miss Margaret McNeill of Stege and Miss Leona Sanders, are appearing on the Fanchon & Marco circuit at the T & D theatre in Oakland in a clever act, entitled, "The Electric Trio".

The three young dancers are exceedingly talented and have attracted much recognition in the southern points of the state, where they have been appearing on the Fanchon & Marco circuit. They will appear in Oakland beginning December 12 to 18, inclusive.

Local Girl Will Become Nurse

Miss Alma Chattelet, daughter of Mrs. J. Chattelet of 130 South Eleventh street, who has been employed by the Southern Pacific company at San Francisco, has resigned her position and is going to enter the Merritt hospital in Oakland to train for nursing on January 4, 1926.

Sunday movies are prohibited in 58 of the leading cities of the United States.

Richmond Sisters Married at Dual Ceremony In S. F.

An unusual and delightful wedding took place last night when two charming sisters of Richmond, Miss Frances Hill and Miss Alice Hill, were united at a double wedding to Walter Glover, of Richmond and Glen H. Grampton, of San Francisco, respectively.

The brides are well known in business circles and among the young people of Richmond. Miss Frances Hill was connected with the Mercantile Trust company of this city, and Miss Alice Hill was a teacher at Lincoln school. Glover, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Glover, 339 Nevins avenue, is engaged as a pharmacist at San Francisco. He is a graduate of the University of California. Grampton is connected with the main office of the Bank of Italy in San Francisco.

After the wedding ceremony, which was performed at 8 o'clock, the couple, with a group of friends, went to the beach for the reception. Mr. and Mrs. Grampton will make their home at the St. Catherine apartments in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Glover will reside at 1465 Bush street, San Francisco.

Big Christmas Pageant at the Wesley Church

The Christmas pageant, "The Heavenly Hosts" will be given at the Wesley Methodist church on Sunday evening, December 27. Fifty characters are required to present this great dramatic story of Christmas. All characters will be beautifully costumed, and special scenery and lighting effects will be used. The pageant is being directed by J. E. Hill.

Those who witnessed the Easter pageant "The Dawning" given by this same group of people, know what a rare treat it is to see this great pageant were so large that it had to be given on two evenings. The Christmas pageant will be even more colorful and effective, and that the capacity of the church will be again taxed to take care of the people who will attend is expected.

Mexico Expects Election Fights

(By Universal Service)
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 12.—14,000 Federal troops have been called from the rural district to patrol the City during the election tomorrow. Disorder is anticipated.

TO RECONSIDER PLANS FOR BAY BRIDGE, TUBE

OAKLAND Dec. 12.—After it had been shown that the Navy Department is unalterably opposed to any plan so far submitted to bridge the bay, the proponents of such plans were asked to seriously reconsider them.

At a meeting this morning attorneys and engineers of different bridge-the-bay projects appeared before Major John N. W. Schultz, district engineer of the War Department and spoke in favor of the general bridge plan.

That all the plans so far submitted were objectionable to the Navy Department was made clear by Captain C. W. Cole, chief of staff for the Twelfth Naval District, in a hearing before Major Schultz yesterday.

The plans for an overhead span from Telegraph Hill to Oakland via Goat Island was attacked by J. V. Davies, New York Tube Engineer. According to Davies the foundation in that part of the bay are the least adaptable of any part of the harbor for the construction of a bridge.

Rockne To Stay With Notre Dame

(By Universal Service)
NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Knut Rockne will remain at football coach at Notre Dame university and Columbia must look elsewhere for the next three years. Such was the outcome of numerous interviews and long distance phone calls from New York to South Bend. An official statement from Columbia announced regret that Rockne was not to be Columbia's coach.

Group Promotion Held At Y M C A

Graduates of the Abe Lincoln Pioneer group of the Richmond Y. M. C. A. were promoted into the Comrade group at a gathering held at the "Y" building last night. Officers were elected as follows:

Ralph Giberson senior comrade; Harry Spires, junior comrade; R. Plate, comrade of the records; O. Arnold, comrade of the treasury; James Morrison, comrade of the keys; Elden Hall, comrade of the colors.

It was decided to hold a meeting on next Saturday night to completely organize the group and select its name.

Open Street Car Tracks Cause Two Serious Accidents

Open street car tracks of the Key System Transit company on Macdonald street, G. Bartran of 1120 Clinton avenue was driving west on the avenue and a motorist dashed from a side street, Bartran trying to avoid an accident swerved his car, which hit the curb. The rear wheel was wrecked, the light wires were broken and the front axle sprung.

A wrecking car was sent for, and while Dick Sweet of the Mt. Diablo garage was working on the auto, attempting to get it on a towing truck, Chris Morken and wife of 721 Wilson avenue came arriving west on the avenue in company with four friends of Berkeley.

When almost on it, Morken noticed the car at the side, and made a quick turn of the steering wheel in order to avoid hitting the Bartran machine. The auto left the pavement, and went in to the open space of the street car company, between the rails. The auto overturned, and its occupants were pinioned underneath.

A crowd soon collected, as the traffic on the avenue is rapidly becoming quite heavy. A number of men righted the wrecked machine, and the occupants crawled out, apparently without injury.

On the Morken car, the front and rear wheels were mashed, the body and fenders twisted out of shape, and the top a complete wreck.

For a time street car traffic was interrupted, but after about a half an hour, the auto was pulled off of the tracks, and on to a side street.

Mendelssohn Club Gives Opportunity To Young People

Young people with an inclination towards music or dramatics are finding a wonderful opportunity in the scholarships, contests which are held under the auspices of the Mendelssohn Club. Requirements for the annual scholarship contests were announced yesterday. This year the musical scholarship will be awarded on a vocal basis; requirements being only that participants must be between the ages of 15 to 20 years. The other scholarship covers dramatics and elocution, the limits being from the ages of 10 to 20.

Mrs. Lee Dickey is chairman of the scholarship committee, assisted by Mrs. Sara Kreutzen, Miss Mildred Frazier, Mrs. Fredrick Smith, Mrs. James McVittie, Mrs. Robert Huston, and Mrs. S. D. Wilson.

War Mothers to Provide Suits For Veterans

The Red Cross has asked all chapters of the National War Mothers to launch a drive to secure suits and clothing for the 800 ex-service men at the Letterman hospital. The Red Cross will store the clothing and then distribute it to the Letterman hospital. The measurements for the suits may be for men who are from 36 to 42 inches in chest measurements and from 5 feet 1 inches to 5 feet 11 inches tall.

Mrs. Mac Donnelly, president of the Richmond War Mothers is taking care of the donations.

ATTEMPT MADE TO COVER REAL CRIME CHARGED

Findings Of Court Martial Are Criticised By President Coolidge

EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE

Wrongful Act Cannot Be Excused Says President In His Criticism

(By Universal Service)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Finding of an army court martial which an alleged attempt to cover up the real charges are scored by President Coolidge in his review of the case. Embezzlement was the charge.

"A wrongful act knowingly committed cannot be excused," the president stated.

The court martial was that of Frank Nihoff of West Virginia on charges involving embezzlement of funds and worthless checks in the amount of \$2,688.

FOUNDRY HAS PURCHASED A HARBOR SITE

The Enterprise Foundry company, through its president, C. P. Haynes, has consummated the purchase of 21 acres of inner harbor land from the Richmond Investment company, acting for H. C. Cutting, the original owner, after six months of negotiation. The negotiations for the deal were carried on through the Richmond Industrial commission and Haynes.

The purchase of this property is believed to mean that a new industry will be located soon on the inner harbor. The Enterprise company is owner of the Santa Fe foundry here, and also the enameled bathtub plant, which was operated by the Pacific Sanitary company for a time, but which is now idle. The disposition of the bathtub plant is expected to be disclosed shortly with the centering of the Enterprise Foundry company's activities here.

Ronald-Hiles Engagement Is Announced Here

The engagement of Miss Nellie Ronald to E. C. Hiles, was announced here yesterday. Miss Ronald is the daughter of Alce Ronald, proprietor of the Pioneer Coal company of this city, and came here a year ago with her father from Cumberland, B. C.

Hiles is associated with the Pacific Gas and Electric company here, and also makes his home in this city.

No definite date has been set for the wedding, but it is expected that it will take place the early part of next week. The couple are planning to spend their honeymoon in Santa Cruz and upon their return here will reside in Mira Vista.

SPECIAL Star Roadster Balloon Tires 1925 Superior Special Terms Apply 141 13th Street

BRIAND'S WAR VIEWS DOUBTED BY THE FRENCH

(By Universal Service)
PARIS, Dec. 14.—"I don't believe we will see another war before six or eight years have passed—but who can tell?" is the answer Aristide Briand, minister of French foreign affairs, made when the question of the next war was put to him by a French journalist.

Monsieur Briand's assurance that the four horsemen can be kept at bay for six or eight more years is based on what he terms, "the pacific forces existing because of the union of the victors of the last war."

"The good intentions of our foreign minister cannot be impugned but has found the means to war off the danger," demands an editorial in L'Ecain. "We doubt it very much. Monsieur Briand has denounced the policy of force."

"Then what remains to safeguard France? Only the League of Nations, and that amounts to so little he tells us his secret with trembling, that if permanent peace isn't assured the world within ten years, we should declare the spirit of peace bankrupt and resign ourselves to the worst."

It is washing is decreasing in volume and laundries all over the country are increasing in number and amount of trade.

A Detroit hotel insures its guests against accident for 18 hours after departure.

Paul Berlenbach Who Successfully Defended His Title With Delaney



This photograph was taken while Berlenbach was preparing for the bout at the New Madison Square Garden Friday night, in which he won a decision over Delaney in fifteen rounds. Although Delaney had won from Paul when the latter was in the amateur ranks, the betting was even on the champ when the pair entered the ring.

JAPANESE TAX ON INCOMES IS CLUE TO WEALTH

(By Universal Service)
TOKYO, Dec. 14.—Revenue from income tax in Japan this year is expected to total approximately \$105,000,000, according to estimates of the fiscal authorities. This is an increase of about yen 15,000,000, (\$7,500,000) over the estimate of yen 195,000,000 (\$97,500,000) made in the 1925 budget. The significance of these figures is that they indicate a greater prosperity than was believed to exist in the country. The bulk of the income tax receipts will come, not from salaries or earned income, but from dividends paid by commercial and industrial concerns. The so-called "hard times" apparently have had little effect upon the earning capacity of Japanese business firms.

On the other hand, a large number of workers in Japan declare that the maintenance of large dividends by corporations is made possible by wholesale reductions of wages.

One Bootlegger And Rum Taken In Police Raid

A raid conducted last night netted the Richmond police one bootlegger and several quarts of illicit liquor, according to Police Chief Dan Cox, who conducted the raid.

Noel C. Rastiller, 1716 Macdonald avenue, was arrested when the police, armed with a search warrant raided his home, the old California House and charged him with illegal possession of liquor. Rastiller pleaded guilty to the charge, according to the department, and will appear before Police Judge C. A. Odell on Monday to be sentenced.

If you are right inside, you can stand anything from the outside.

Difficulties overcome the weak, but strengthen the strong.

*I'M NO DOCTOR. Adv.

Announcement!

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Real Estate Broker

At 2221 Macdonald Avenue

Wishes to announce that she has a fine lot on 10th Street for \$900 cash, for quick sale. And four lots on 13th Street near Roosevelt for \$1200 cash. Also a splendid lot near 23rd and Macdonald, and a number of good locations along Macdonald Avenue, real bargains.

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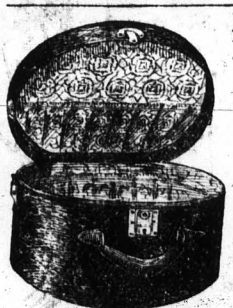


"Recepto Can" White enameled for kitchen, bath room or doctor's office, etc. Just press your foot on lever and cover opens. Special... \$1.48

Airtight HEATER with top color, strong steel legs, screw draft. Delivered, special... \$1.75 Stove Dept., Second Floor

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HAT BOX \$3.79 Dupont Fabricoid cloth lined, 2 pockets, Hat Form. lock and two catches, light weight. Ideal week end case.

For School, Music or Business—A sturdy BRIEF CASE 10x15-inch 2 pockets, Dupont Fabricoid. \$1.75 Reg. \$2.25 Initials free.

Fitted Week End CASE The removable tray case holds 8 pieces of toilet articles; moire silk lining; 22-inch size. \$9.75

The same case fitted with beautiful two-tone pearl on amber. Toilet Articles \$11.75

Gentleman's Cowhide Oxford Bag 18-inch size, sewed in frame, reinforced sides and corners, welted seams; your choice of 3 colors. Black, Brown, Mahogany... \$5

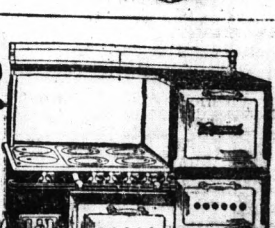


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50-shot Daisy Air Rifle Pump Gun Model—\$4.50 Special... 100 Poker Chips, Rack and Deck of Bicycle Playing Cards... 50c to \$6.50 Leather Bill Folds... 35c to \$2.50 Coin Purses... \$1 to \$4 pair Skates... \$1.50 to \$7.50 Flasks... 75c set up Nested Drinking Cups... \$2 to \$7.50 pair Driving Gloves...

Sport and Golf Button Sweaters... \$4.95 to \$20.00 Suede Jackets, tan or gray, (Wind Breakers)... \$10 to \$22.50 Heavy Shaker Knit Wool Sweaters from... \$6.50 to \$15.00 Fancy Plaid Flannel Outing Shirts from... \$3.50 up Large stock of Leather Coats for Sportmen... \$10 to \$30 Russell Waterproof Boots... \$13.50 up Tennis, Golf, Basket Shoes... \$1 up

BLACK CHURCH UP

LONDON, The church service Lewis in the strange and nights ago, by a blackbird. The bird first by tapping windows and women, becoming the door to go in it made st pit and alight the pastor, the eron, who was his sermon. A brother calm MacIver off, and it flap the pulpit, putt in its fury. It darting at other turned to the head. Dr. Car rendered and with a hasty b

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BLACKBIRD IN CHURCH BREAKS UP SERVICES

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Evening church service on the island of Lewis in the Hebrides came to a strange and sudden close a few nights ago. It was broken up by a blackbird.

The bird first attracted attention by tapping persistently at the windows and when a number of women, becoming alarmed opened the door to go out the bird flew in. It made straight for the pulpit and alighted on the head of the pastor, the Rev. William Cameron, who was in the midst of his sermon.

A brother parson, the Rev. Malcolm MacIver knocked the bird off, and it flapped angrily around the pulpit, putting out two lamps in its fury. It circled the church darting at other lamps, then returned to the flustered parson's head. Dr. Cameron finally surrendered and closed the service with a hasty benediction.

Plays Lottery 17 Years Wins 500,000 Marks

(By Universal Service)
BERLIN, Dec. 14.—Persistence wins, said Hermann Wangerin, a fireman of Berlin, and played the same number in the Prussian lottery for 17 years.

Now his number has drawn the biggest prize—500,000 marks. But Hermann has only one-eighth of the lot, so after the usual deductions he will get 50,000 marks, or \$12,500.

During the seventeen years he spent 510 marks or a little more than \$125 on the lottery.

Short Skirts Now Prevail In Rome

(By Universal Service)
ROME, Dec. 14.—The dresses worn here are even more diaphanous than those which once shocked American and the make-ups of the finer sex, from bobbed heads to daintily shod feet, are so reminiscent of Broadway and the other "Main Streets" of America that—barring Roman architecture unsprinkled streets, weeks without rain and constantly recurring dishes of spaghetti and macaroni—one feels really and truly at home.

The Vatican crusades against daring dresses and a too generous display of feminine charms has had one effect—a veil is drawn at Papal receptions from the crown of the head to the usually very attractive dimpled knees, but thence downward even the awe-inspiring silken clad camerlengos of the Papal Court are helpless.

The short skirt is here to stay.

Kiss Proof Lip Stick is a New German Product

(By Universal Service)
BERLIN, Dec. 14.—Attention girls!

It has been discovered—at last! A kiss-proof lip-stick!

Guaranteed not to come off or transfer even in the most violent endurance lip-wrestling match. The epoch-making discovery, intended to make kissing safe for democracy, is announced by a German film dealing in cosmetics. It's called the "discreet lip-stick," and the claim is advanced that it marks a "revolution in the art of painting."

The new lip-stick, it's explained—is colorless itself, but applied the desired color with indestructible naturalness.

It is said to withstand even water, both salt and sweet, and is therefore especially recommended for bathing beauties.

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From a goodly assortment pick for the man's Christmas from these many ties. There are stripes and Persian weaves in handsome colors from which it is safe to choose, for they are all conservative enough to suit the man who chooses his clothing with care. Buy while selection is best, and buy more than one.

\$1

Men's Collars to match shirts

These are the popular new plaid effects in stripes and dots with one collar to match. This is a style which is increasing in popularity for its smart appearance and practicality. A man never has enough shirts, so this is a wise hint to wife or mother. 14 to 17.

\$2

Hickok Belts—Buckles—Beltograms

The belt buckles and beltograms have initials and the belts follow the latest departure in style. These are gifts bought by a man's friends and women who know intuitively what is right. A real gift suggestion.

\$1.50

Men's Fancy Cashmere Socks—pair

The favorite colors of men, gray and navy with plaid effects, should make many a man happy Christmas morning. They are such good quality, beside their good looks, that it would be the best thing to buy several pairs.

75c

Pearl-on-amber type Toilet Sets—

These exquisite sets are manufactured by Sam Stag and H. Hiller of New York, and contain mirrors, hair brushes, combs, powder boxes, buffers, button hooks, nail files, cuticle knives, shoe horns in satin lined boxes.

\$19

Toilet sets—Colgate's Piquant toilet sets \$3.50
Toilet water—Colgate's Eclat, very fragrant, 60c

Shaving brush—A real Badger shaving brush for \$1.00
Dusting talc for bathing, in Christmas packages, 75c

Main Floor



Gifts from all over the World

Gathering the quaint and lovely from all lands, we are able to offer a larger gift selection than ever before. Gifts for the home have permanence and should be selected with discrimination and here are works of art culled from the markets of the world.

Gouda Ware

\$1.25, \$3.00, \$5.00
Pottery from quaint Holland displays all the richness of design, shape and coloring of the old Dutch masters.

Amphora Pottery

\$1.50, \$2.50, \$5.00
Czechoslovakian work shows the new artistic urge displayed by these people since the war. Pieces of color and beauty.

Italian Majolica

\$1.00, \$2.50, \$3.75
From the world-famous town of Deruta, where beautiful potteries have been made for generations by artists.

French Bronzes

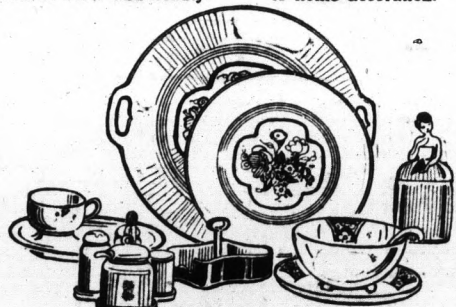
\$10, \$12.50, \$18.50
The works of many French artists are cast in bronze in figurines of surpassing worth to home decoration.

English Ware

\$1.00, \$2.25, \$5.00
Rubens, Tunstall and Jacobean wares are in rich blues, molded with dignity and gracefully styled.

Italian Statuary

\$7.50, \$12.50, \$18.50
From the hands of artists who make this work their sole interest are charming pieces of alabaster marble.



Fancy China, \$1 to \$5

From Europe and the Orient are lustre bonbon dishes, decorated berry sets, sets of cake plates and handled cake plates.

Tea or Bridge Sets, \$10.85, \$12.85

Two-tone lustre ware from Germany makes these 23-piece bridge sets very attractive for gifts to the hostess.

Price Tables \$1.00, \$2.50, \$3.75

Imported potteries come in the very new effects of natural colored birds, vases, candlesticks and odd bowls.

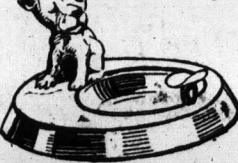
Smoking Tray \$2.50

The smoking tray illustrated is specially priced for \$2.50. Other accessories may be had from 50c to \$5.

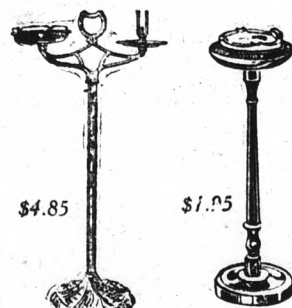


Silver Mounted Glass

Colored glassware is silver mounted, pieces include: bowls, compots, candy jars, cheese and cracker plates.



Third Floor

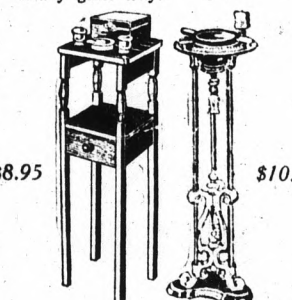


Pedestal Smoker

The large base prevents tipping of this mahogany finished pedestal, which unscrews to pack easily. Glass tray.

Metal Stands

Very ornamental and, besides, very easy to carry about the room. Bronze and gold finish, with heavy glass tray.

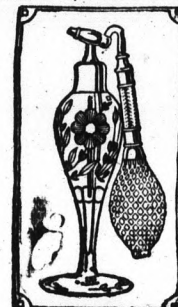


Smoking Stand

This has a convenient drawer for the necessary accessories and a copper lined cigar container. Mahogany finish.

Metal Stands

Artistically constructed of iron in black and gold finish, with Mandarin red ash tray, a smoker for the particular. Furniture Department, 4th Floor



Perfumes

Perfume has the individual note that makes it particularly right for gifts and these are the choicest of all:

Volnay Perlette \$5, \$9, \$15
Rosine Hanna, \$15
Rosine Aladin, \$16
Rosine Le Fruit Defendu \$11
Rosine Maharajah, \$18
Rosine Nuit de Chine, \$5.50
Caron's Narcisse Noir, \$3 and \$4.50

Caron's Le Tabaco \$15
Blond \$27
Caron's Nuit de Noel, \$27
Caron's N'amez, quemoi, \$12
Gabilla Mon Cheri, \$1.75 to \$12.50

Arys Fox Trot, \$1.50, \$5, \$8.50
Arys Jasmin, \$1.50, \$5
Chevalier, \$2, \$7

4711 Bath Salts, \$50c, 90c, \$1.75
Vigny Colli Wong, \$1, \$2.25, \$7.75

Mousse ambré, \$9.50
D'Orsay Toulour Fidele, \$5.50, \$12

D'Orsay Jasmin, \$9
D'Orsay Lilac, \$6
Bonheur Le Porte, \$10

Fleur de France, \$2, \$7
Houbigant's Ideal, \$1-\$6.75

Houbigant's Quelque Fleur, \$2, \$4, \$7.50
Houbigant's Quelque Violette, \$3.50

Houbigant's Le Temps des Lilas, \$5

Coty's Paris, \$1, \$2, \$3.75, \$5, \$6.75

Coty's Chypre, \$1, \$2, \$3.75, \$6.75

Coty's Jasmine, \$1.50, \$2.80, \$12

Coty's L'Origan, \$1, \$2, \$3.75, \$7

Coty's Styx, \$1.25, \$4.25

Coty's Maske, \$5

Coty's L'Origan powder, \$1

Main Floor

Come to Toytown!

Santa Claus is here
for kiddies

Santa Says—but you come and hear Santa say it himself for you wouldn't want to miss the jolly saint this year when toy-town is the gayest it has been in many a long while. It is such a help to have so many good suggestions for what to ask Santa this year in your letter.



Dump Truck

This dump truck is of pressed steel, 24 inches long, with baked on enamel. \$6.95

Baby Walkers

Have a removable tray and play beads, in a neat ivory finish. \$3.95

Coasters

Red bird coasters are 13x32 inches with all steel bodies; disc wheels. \$6.45

Velocipedes

Have ball bearings and 1-inch cushion rubber tires. Very strong. \$11.75

Light Outfits

Improved Mazda light outfits with continuous sockets, 8 lamps. \$1.95

Soldier Sets

Imported soldier sets contain 22 soldiers, 2 1/2 inches high. Quite gay. \$2.25

Blocks, for

Build more blocks are enamel finished. Build houses easily. 95c

Infant Dolls

Like real little babies, so soft and cuddly, are wrapped in blankets. \$2.50

Bimbo Ringo Game

Fun for all and very interesting. Nice for the long evenings or rainy days. 95c

Third Floor

Glaze Fruit Wall Paper Field Glasses

More than 100 designs are shown for covering boxes, screens and book covers. Finished models are on display. These make clever and attractive gifts, easily made, too.

When you can't think of the gift for the man or boy, buy him field glasses or binoculars. On his long hikes and hunting trips, he will thank you for them many times.

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Registered Optometrist and
Optician

Main Floor

Third Floor

HANDKERCHIEFS

Flutter-a-Christmas Greeting

IT'S always safe to choose handkerchiefs for Christmas gifts, for there are never too many under the tree. Some very lovely ones are here for selection. They vary from dainty squares of sheer linen with hand-rolled hems to gray bits of silk or brilliantly patterned voile.

For Women

Embroidered corners on white or colored handkerchiefs come 3 in a box. 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25 to \$3
Colored handkerchiefs of voile, georgette or crepe de Chine, trimmed with lace or plain. 25c to \$2.50
Printed kerchiefs are hand blocked prints with hand-rolled hems. From France and Japan. 35c, 50c to \$1.50
Embroidered kerchiefs in white or colors from Ireland, Switzerland and France. 25c to \$2.50
Novelty handkerchiefs form bouquets, dress dolls, pencils, flowers for dainty gifts. 25c to \$2.50

For Men

Initial handkerchiefs in plain white have either plain or fancy initials, for 25c, 35c, 50c and \$1
Initials, are colored to match the colored woven cord. These are hemstitched, 3 in a box. \$1

For Boys and Children

Colored woven cord borders, with colored initials to match are hemstitched, 3 to 6 in box. 85c
Children's handkerchiefs have embroidered figures in the corner, 3 in a box. 35c to \$1
Children's handkerchiefs have colored woven borders and colored initials, 3 in a box. 50c

Main Floor

Sportographs

AN ALL-AMERICAN

The mythical and myriad All-Americans still continue to be picked. Perhaps if any two pickers chose the same team that would be considered the best and let it go at that. One man of known ability as a writer, places a half dozen players on his choice of All-Americans who were never heard of outside their little circle, and ignores Ernie Nevers.

STANFORD BAWLED OUT

Stanford University got a nice bawling out at the meeting of the Pacific Coast Conference yesterday. Nothing was said, directly but the inference was plain enough. It was said that hereafter it will be deemed improper for any athletic coach or manager to publicly question the acts of game officials in any way. Reports must be made to the conference.

STANFORD VS. HAWAII

PALO ALTO, Dec. 12.—Invitation has been received here for a closing season game next year between Stanford and the University of Hawaii during the holidays. Arrangements are now under way and it is planned to stage a series of games in the somewhat exclusive Stanford auditorium come through with agreement. Stanford players are keen for the trip.

SCANDAL TRAVELS

As an aftermath of the baseball scandal that broke over the San Francisco Winter league several days ago has spread across the bay to the Oakland league. Nothing scandalous has broken over here yet but officials of the league have issued a strict ultimatum regarding betting on ball games. Anyone gambling on games will be arrested and punished.

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SHADES of OLD JACK TAR!

Culture in the Forecastle Soon Will Produce New Type of Sailor to Plough Pacific Waves.

WHEN Jack Tar sailed in clipper ships for Hong Kong and way places he found his pals a hard-boiled lot who feared not tempest, wreck, or shot, but never washed their faces. Their clothing, too, the well-dressed man would scan with deep aversion. They washed it seldom, if at all, and only on coercion.



Their only books were dirty looks from Captain or from Mate. The "higher life" was drowned by strife. They carved their friends for bait. Their fare was hardtack and salt pork, strong rum and rancid water. They never used a fork or spoon. They never knew they oughter.

But what a chance the years have brought! Now note this innovation! The Matson Line

The Matson Line's new passenger steamship "The Malolo," Hawaiian for "Flying Fish," which is now being built for the San Francisco-Honolulu run, will strike a new note in ship construction and equipment.

The linen of the crew will be washed in a completely equipped laundry. Their meals will be prepared by experienced chefs on electric ranges and will be served on china and glass of an excellent quality. A number of electric fans will be installed in the quarters of the crew. Bibles will be supplied to provide for the religious needs of every man.



"Malolo's" crew will be a real sensation. No livid scars will mar these faces. Reformed by pious text, they'll live a calm, idyllic life by

strife or brawl unexed. From parted hair to polished shoes, well pressed and well perfumed, the great Beau Nash with all his cash was never better groomed.

Nor Claridge nor Delmonico saw aught that's more inspiring than when the crew to feed its face will meet before retiring. Then round the table will be passed the delectablest sort of dishes, prepared upon electric stoves—most tasty and delicious.

"James, a little pate, please," in this sort of culture, will take the place of "Shoot the grease," or "Rush the stum, you culture." And from a dozen whirling fans there'll play a gentle breeze, cooling the brows of those who sail and toll upon the seas.

Far different these from old Jack's mates who never washed their faces—those hard-boiled, ribald, salty skates—who had no social graces.

EDITOR: RECORD-HERALD

On behalf of the Richmond Police Relief Fund committee, I wish to thank the public of Richmond for the liberal patronage at the annual police ball recently held to raise money for the fund.

H. C. DONNELLY, Chairman, Richmond Police Relief Fund Committee

BARRY-BIBBINS

DANCE

Orchestra Every WED. and SAT. VETERAN'S BALLROOM

Kaiser's Marble Ancestors to Be Moved Into Parks

By O. B. TOLISCH'S

BERLIN, Dec. 11.—A campaign has started in the German democratic press to dismantle the proud monument of the Kaiser's regime—the Siegessäule, or Avenue of Victory, which is lined all the way, and on both sides, with marble statues of all the ex-kaiser's ancestors that have ruled in Berlin.

German artists and art connoisseurs called it even during the ex-kaiser's time the "marble atrocity."

Now, it is found, that the foundations of many of these statues

Bears Beaten Without Grange

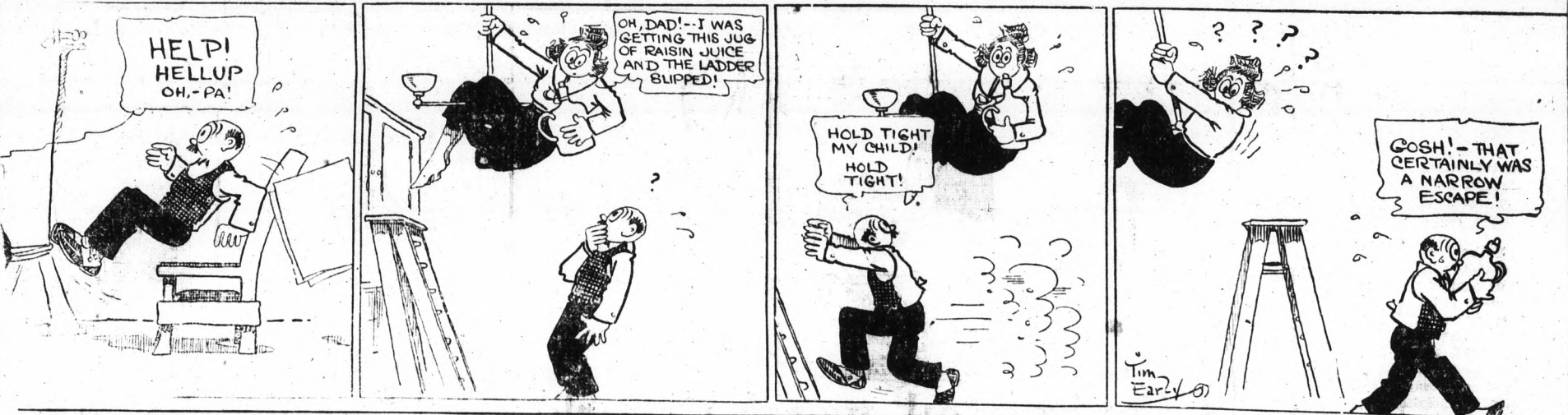
(By Universal Service)

DETROIT, Dec. 12.—Chicago Bears, minus the services of the heralded Red Grange, were handed a 21-0 trimming by the Detroit in a National professional football game here today.

have been washed out by the rains, and that extensive repairs are necessary. The democratic press is urging the city council to seize the occasion to distribute the statues throughout the Tiergarten on the ground that individually they would make a much better appearance than in a rigid row as at present.

*I'M NO BUTCHER. Advt.

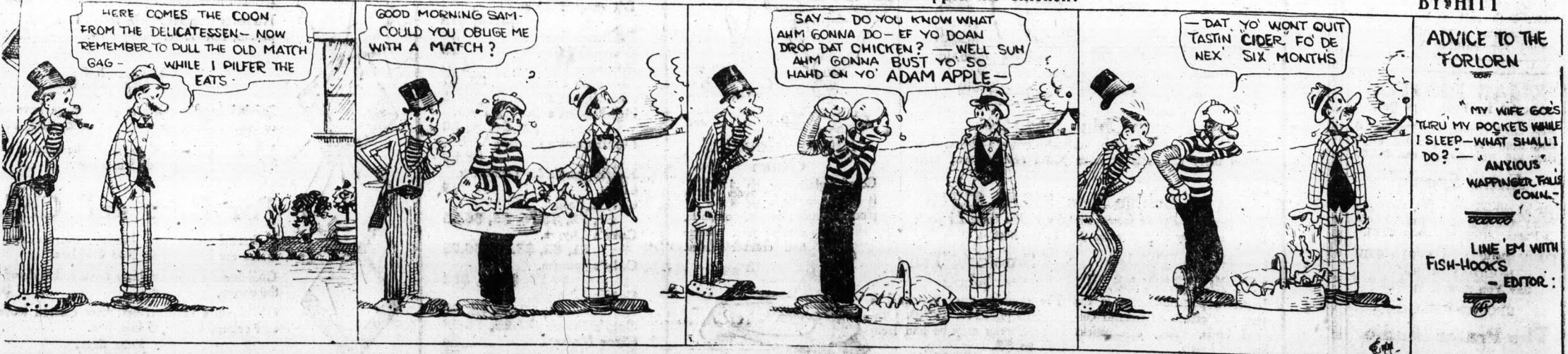
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HIT AND RUN—Sam's "Decider" Proposition Didn't Appeal to Bull At This Time So—He Dropped the Chicken!



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\$1,500.000 to Perfect This New Six

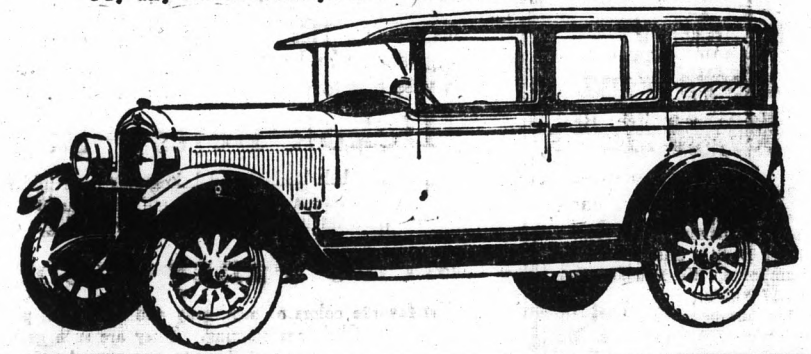
Eleven years before the new Hupmobile Six was announced, Hupmobile engineers began to build Sixes.

All that time Hupmobile has been developing this new Six—and it has spent more than one and a half million dollars in that work alone.

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News of Society Clubs



WHIST IS PLANNED BY BOILERMAKERS

A turkey whist is to be given by the Boilermakers Union, No. 317, at Pythian castle Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Three dollar turkey orders are to be given to every third table and a five dollar turkey order as door prize.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WILL BE ENTERTAINED

Members of St. Paul's guild will entertain the Berkeley Council, Knights of Columbus on Monday evening at the church in San Pablo. A fine program has been arranged, after which there will be dancing and refreshments.

No school is more necessary to children than patience, because either the will must be broken in childhood or the heart in old age.

Nimble-Fingered Draper Shows How Lace Dress Is Fashioned in Minute



One of the fashion designers who had an exhibit at the American Lace show in New York was about to drape on a model when this photograph was taken. She can fashion a dress in this manner in less than a minute.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Joseph B. Loskot and Mrs. Eleanor G. Sutton both of this city, were issued a marriage license in Oakland yesterday. Loskot is associated with the Key Route company, and Mrs. Sutton resides at 433 Fifteenth street.

American Women Have the Best Clothes In World

(By Universal Service)
LONDON, Dec. 14.—America has more richly clothed women than any European country, says R. G. Thomson, prominent manufacturer of women's apparel, who has just returned from a visit to America.

"Ninety per cent of American women wear silk foulard dresses, with real silk stockings—and little else besides I should imagine. "Ninety per cent of the male population have the best-cleaned footwear in the world."

"An enormous number of New York people disregard girth control and ruin their digestions by consuming mountains of candy, rivers of sweetened sodas and whole icebergs."

"The average New Yorker is one of the kindest, politest, most sympathetic person I have ever met," is another of Thomson's reflections.

Three Piece Suit Is German Style Triumph Now

(By Universal Service)
BERLIN, Dec. 14.—Eve, clad in a hat, a muff and a smile—

This was the sensational closing effect of an elaborate fashion show staged in the marble hall of the Zoo—Berlin's biggest assembly place—recently, indicating that Berlin is back to normalcy.

The fashions themselves were far less revealing. The princess dress with the bell-shaped skirt reigned, but it had high and "half-high" colors of all known varieties, some concealing the neck entirely. The revelations were confined entirely around the knees.

The ensemble—meaning the three-piece suit—has triumphed. Even the pajamas in three pieces, including an overcoat.

Metal effects predominate, especially around the collars which are covered with gold or other metals or with pearls.

Green and wine-red are the fashionable colors, together with black and white for evening gowns.

TURKEY WHIST

At Point Masonic Temple, 210 Washington avenue, under the auspices of Point Masonic Temple association Friday evening, December 18. Three dollar order to every three tables. Door prize. Score cards 50 cents. 12 12 6

The New York Stock Exchange has over 400 inactive members who will be asked to sell their seats.

Barber BUSINESS Is Good

Contrary to what we expected for the first few days after the raise in prices, a check of all shops shows the volume of business up to normal.

We wish to thank the public for the generous manner in which they responded to the increased prices. They were the outcome of constant and gradual increase in the cost of operating a shop.

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PERIL SEEN FOR RICH WOMEN IN MARRIAGE MART

(By Universal Service)
BERLIN, Dec. 14.—The perils of the marriage market are vividly exemplified by the tragic experience of Frau Maria Loewe, a wealthy German widow, who put an ad for a second husband in one of the Berlin dailies.

Among the eighty applicants, Gustav Lorentz, a cabinet maker, was the most favored. He was teased and dined in the finest of style and had ample opportunity to notice Frau Loewe's costly jewelry.

Even when Lorentz appeared one day in the early hours of the morning, he was welcomed and invited to breakfast. The gas man interrupted the tete a tete long enough for the ardent lover to find and pocket the tiaras and bracelets that his beloved had worn the day before.

Before his departure he warned Mrs. Loewe to be careful of her diamonds while the new gas meter was being installed.

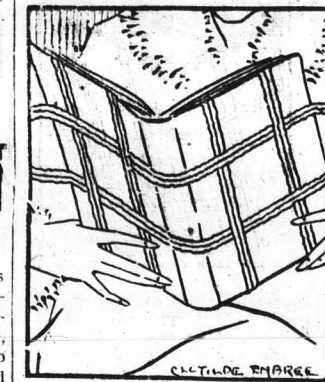
This was Lorentz's last visit to Mrs. Loewe's apartment. He has been since located by the police and sentenced to one and a half year's imprisonment and five year's "loss of honor" or loss of citizenship rights.

The fire losses in the United States and Canada during September exceeded \$25,000,000.

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I have a rosy vision that I love to dream ABOUT—
What Patsy Bill HAS COMING IF HE DON'T WATCH OUT!!!
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Book Covers



A welcome present for the bookworm. Match your friend's living room decorations with the strong cover fabric you select. Cut two pieces of cardboard standard book size. Glue on the cover material, allowing a generous lap-over. Also leave enough material between the pieces of the cardboard to hold the back of the book. Use the best quality liquid glue sparingly and let it get almost dry before applying it to the fabric. Now glue in a lining of plain material to cover the raw edges. Make pockets to hold both covers of the book. Trim with ribbon or braid, leaving a loop on each side for handles.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHOR PRACTICE FOR CANTATA

The choir of the First Presbyterian church is striving to make its cantata, which will be put on Sunday evening, December 20, one of the best choir programs of the year. They are practicing under the direction of S. Collins of Berkeley, and will give the cantata "The Story of Bethlehem" by W. Spence. The cantata includes special soprano, tenor and bass solos, besides a quartette. Miss Jessie Lambrecht is the leading soloist and Wm. H. Thomas, leading tenor.

HARMONY COURT LEADERS HONORED

Leaders of Harmony Court, Order of the Amaranth, were the honored guests at an "officers" night conducted by the organization in Masonic hall last night. In charge of the lodge session were Worthy Matron Velma Mae Quinn and Worthy Patron Arthur A. Alstrom. Following the transaction of business in the lodge room the assemblage adjourned to the banquet hall where a delicious repast was served.

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- 45-inch walnut finish Chest, with genuine cedar lining; pretty decorations. Xmas special, \$29.85.
- 40-inch Walnut Chest with solid walnut top and genuine cedar lining, \$19.85.
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SALINAS WINS FROM BERKELEY BY SCORE 13-3

CALIFORNIA MEMORIAL STADIUM, Dec. 12.—A horde of husky cowboys put a hard, high boot on the neck of a Yellowjacket here this afternoon and robbed said Yellowjacket of all its stings.

The Salinas High School grid team romped into the Memorial stadium, romped all over the Berkeley High team and romped back to their native prairies, the champions of the North Coast section of the California Inter-scholastic Federation, and winning the right to play Bakersfield for the state pennant.

A pass of 26 yards to the goal line in the second quarter gave Salinas its first score. Then a blocked punt and subsequent four backs in the final period and a goal conversion gave them the total of 13 points.

Berkeley made its only three points by sinking one out of three tries for a field goal from within Salinas' 25-yard line. This was the first time the cowboys won over Berkeley since the days when Tut Imlay played on the team.

The trouble with getting in on the ground floor is that it is often has a trap door into the cellar.

Some people who remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy, don't bother much about the other six.

Saints Lose to Thundering Herd In Hard Struggle

COLISEUM, LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12.—The Thundering Herd thundered its way to victory over "Slip" Madigan's Saint Mary's eleven here this afternoon by a score of 12-0. It was a well earned victory despite the fact that the Saints were playing under the handicap of injured and sick stellar players being absent.

The Trojans scored early in the game when a lucky fumble gave them the ball on the Phoenix's 17-yard line. A forward pass from that point did the work. They crossed the Saint's goal line again in the third period on a series of terrific smashes.

A mighty defense game was put up by the Oaklanders and the Southerners were held time after time without gain.

Hawaii Defeats Colorado In Grid Contest

(By Universal Service)
Honolulu, Dec. 12.—University of Hawaii's fiery football squad today defeated Colorado 41-0. Hawaii scored within the first 4 minutes of play.

At no time did the visitors threaten the Hawaii goal, playing for the most part in Colorado territory.

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Horemans Wins Billiard Title, Beats Shaeffer By Five-Point Margin



Edouard Horemans of Belgium became the 182nd billiard champion of the world when he defeated Jake Shaeffer in a 1,500-point match, played in 500-point blocks. The final score was 1,500 to 1,495. During the match an argument arose and Shaeffer refused to finish unless Horemans agreed to meet him within 30 days if the title should change hands. So Horemans became champion for 30 days—maybe longer. The Belgium is the first European to win the billiard title in more than 20 years.

Carquinez Club Plans Tourney

The Carquinez Golf club will start the new year off with a bang, featuring a big tournament in January. The committee making arrangements for the competition is Garry Bennett, Press Neville and Robert G. Adams.

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Formal opening of the Fairmede Country clubhouse with a dinner and dance last night was attended by approximately 300 people, according to W. A. Murphy, manager. The clubhouse, which is one of the most commodious and handsome to be found in any East-bay country club has but recently been completed, attractively furnished and the members and visitors who inspected it last night were delighted.

Dinner was served at 6:30 o'clock. Then followed a tour of inspection of Fairmede's new home and the remainder of the evening was devoted to dancing. The officers of the club are: Dr. H. N. Rowell, president; Herbert J. Anderson, vice-president; G. L. Pape, treasurer; W. T. Jenkins, secretary; W. A. Murphy, manager.

COMMITTEES
The executive committee consists of R. L. Rowley, chairman; C. L. Pape, W. H. Mergenthal and A. B. Laurillard.

The official opening and organization committee was composed of the following members: G. L. Pape, W. T. Jenkins, Hay C. Moore, H. W. Mergenthal, J. S. Crow, J. Crose, A. B. Laurillard, A. J. Furer, C. W. White, D. MacGregor, K. E. Ponsford, J. E. Lowden, Marvin Jenkins, L. C. Fraser, R. E. Danford, Dr. H. N. Rowell, T. P. Watson and Henry Clark.

The reception committee included Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. H. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Loomis, Mr. and Mrs. K. Kelly, Miss Ada Best, Miss Emily Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Miller and Mrs. George Posey, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Whalen, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Misner, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boyton, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dougall.

The floor committee was composed of R. L. Rowley, Emil Reinhardt, W. S. Pierce, Ray Vandervoort and Ray Kitchner.

The club is located on the Col-lins property overlooking Richmond and the entire bay. The first nine holes of the course with temporary greens are in fine condition. Murphy announced, and have been attracting many players during the warm days of early winter.

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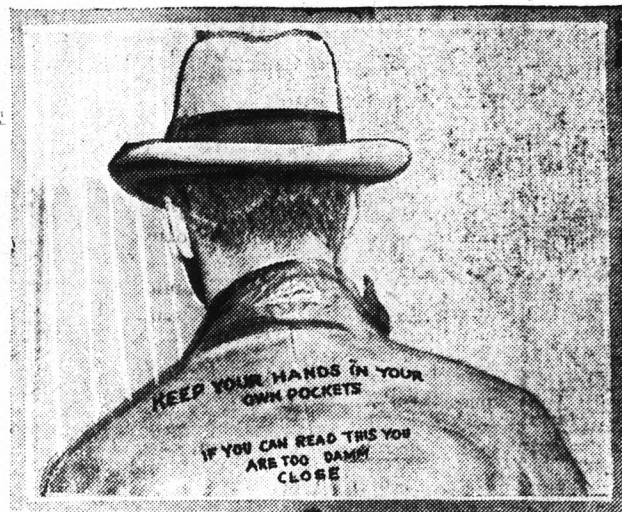
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Ready For Their Christmas Shopping Tour With Warning To Pickpockets On Boy Friend's Slicker



Painting a warning to pickpockets on the back of her boyfriend's slicker was the precaution taken by a Washington, D. C. miss before she started out to do her Christmas shopping early. The warning reads, "Keep your hands in your own pockets! If you see this you're too d—close!" It attracted quite some attention.

Merchant Golf Finals Played Off at 9 a. m.

A south-paw affair between Stanley Bergesen and Clinton Smith will mark the finals of the Merchant's Golf tournament today. This match of two-fold interest will be played off at Carquinez links at 9 o'clock this morning.

A dozen golf balls, of the left handed variety, will be presented to the winner.

Smith's handicap is 35 and Bergesen's is 24, but Smith is a little better golfer than his opponent the match will be about even with the handicap. A large gallery is expected to follow the friendly warriors, not only from the standpoint of interest in the match itself, but from the desire to see a pair of port siders perform against each other.

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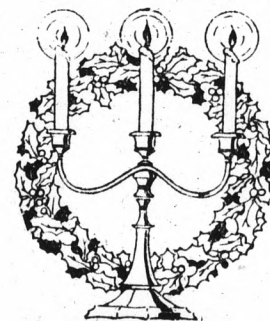
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